

STAUB CLAIMS AIRPORT KNEW CHICKS FLIGHT

Jack Arms, of the state fire marshal's office at Harrisburg, made a preliminary investigation of the fire at the Gettysburg airport late Tuesday afternoon. Arms planned to return to complete his investigation, Fire Chief James A. Aumen said.

In a prepared statement Robert J. Staub, Biglerville, today denied that he had ordered baby chicks transported by air to him at the Gettysburg Airport without the consent and knowledge of Richard Bircher, owner-operator. The chicks were consumed in a fire that destroyed the airport hangar Monday night, about seven hours after they arrived here.

Mr. Staub's statement follows: "Mrs. Staub, my wife, called at the airport last Friday afternoon, at about mid-afternoon, and asked Mr. Bircher if he had been informed of the arrival of the cargo plane on Monday. He said he had not. She then proceeded to call the hatchery at Wallingford, Conn., and talked with A. B. Hall, Jr., an executor of the hatchery, and asked if they were going to fly the chicks into Gettysburg on Monday, that Mr. Bircher said the field was in no condition to land. Mr. Hall asked to speak with Mr. Bircher. During the conversation Mrs. Staub heard Mr. Bircher

DONATIONS FOR POLIO CAMPAIGN KEEP COMING IN

While the main drive for funds for the Adams County Infantile Paralysis fund has been over for some time additional contributions are still being made. Mrs. Joseph E. Codori, chairman, announced today.

Among those who contributed recently were, from Littlestown, Ladies Aid Society, \$5; Sunday School, \$20; Primary and Beginners Department, Senior Girls Class, Hustlers Sunday School Class, Church choir, Youth Fellowship, and Everfaithful group, all \$5 each, and Intermediate class, \$5; Christ Reformed Sunday school, \$15.76; Ladies' Mite society, \$5; Sunday School, \$25.66; Star Bible Class, \$5; Young Men's Bible Class, \$5; Loyalty class, \$5 and Friendship circle, \$1.50 all of St. Paul's Lutheran church.

Other Littlestown donors included the Alta Hummer Missionary Society of St. John's Lutheran church, \$5; Ladies Aid Society of St. John's Lutheran, \$5; St. John's Lutheran Sunday school, \$53.07; Everwilling Sunday School class of St. John's church, \$5; Littlestown Ministerial association, \$5; Mrs. Gross Sunday School class of St. Paul's Lutheran, \$5; St. Mary's Lutheran Sunday School, Silver Run, Md., \$5.

From York Springs Lutheran Always Faithful Sunday School class came \$10; from the York Springs Lutheran Adult Sunday school class, \$6. The York Springs Methodist church gave \$5.51 and the

Comm. Frazee's Transfer Saved His Life In Pacific

Lt. Comm. Murray B. Frazee, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Murray B. Frazee, Howard avenue, was executive officer aboard the Tang on the voyage preceding its fateful destruction by one of its own torpedoes as related in the following account of the famous U. S. submarine. Comm. Frazee was transferred to the command of another sub before the Tang went out on its last patrol.

New York, March 5 (AP)—The submarine Tang, holder of a navy record for destruction of Japanese shipping, was lost in battle in 1944 when the 24th—and last torpedo in her arsenal reversed its course enroute to a target and blew her up, a navy official said today.

Seventy-eight crew members lost their lives and only nine others survived the freak accident, which was described for the first time by Vice Admiral Charles A. Lockwood, navy inspector general, at the annual convention of the Institute of Radio Engineers.

Survivors were captured by the Japanese and later released.

The Tang's self-destruction cli-

Child's Bank Is Unclaimed

A child's bank, with some money enclosed, left in the lobby of the local post office, remains unclaimed Postmaster Lawrence E. Oyler, said today.

Mr. Oyler said the little bank was left in the post office lobby on Sunday, February 23, and that no one has called for it.

"If the owner calls at my office and identifies the bank it will be returned," the Postmaster said.

ACCIDENT TOLL FOR FEBRUARY SHOWS DECLINE

Motor vehicle accidents on Adams county highways dropped to ten during February, the state police reported today. The number is one of the lowest in years, police believe.

There were no fatal accidents, the recapitulation of February activities discloses, and only five persons were injured. Damage to the vehicles was estimated at \$2,570.

In February, 1946, there were 17 motor collisions and in the two fatal crashes six persons were killed. Twelve were injured and the total of damage was \$6,375.

January, 1947, also showed a much greater amount of highway carnage. In January there were 13 accidents, three of them fatal with three persons killed. Ten were injured and damage totaled \$4,095.

Made 58 Arrests

Five of the February crashes were caused by cars going too fast for road conditions and police report that the number of accidents increased after February 20 when the first snow fell in this area. Many motorists failed to slow their speed sufficiently to drive safely in the snow, Sgt. W. Kurt Duhrkoff, head of the local substation said. Failure to yield the right of way, failure to signal, improper turns and driving in the center of the highway were other causes of accidents.

Four of the ten accidents occurred on the Harrisburg road. Three of the smash-ups happened on Tuesdays, Saturdays and Sundays accounted for two crashes each.

The officers made 58 traffic arrests during the month. They spent 222 hours on criminal investigation, 1,335 hours on traffic duty, 214 hours on special assignments and 1,200 hours on station duty. They traveled 15,325 miles in state-owned cars and 145 in privately-owned vehicles in the course of their 440 patrols and various investigations. Sixteen criminal investigations were conducted and 17 arrests were made on criminal charges. One car valued at \$450 was recovered and other property valued at \$190 was recovered.

Lenten Vespers At Trinity Tonight

The third in the series of special Lenten vespers will be held at Trinity Evangelical Reformed church, Wednesday evening beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The Rev. H. S. Fox, pastor, will officiate at this service and will continue the instruction on the theme "The Christian Way of Life." The discussion will center around the thought of "Caring for Others as Jesus Did." The members of the three choirs will assist in the musical portion of the service. The anthem, "Something for Thee," will be rendered by the Senior choir.

The Adult Catechetical class will meet at 6:30 p. m. After the service the Church school board will hold its monthly meeting.

coasted a 1944 raid off the China coast in which she sank 110,000 tons of Japanese shipping, "the highest sinking score on a single patrol of any submarine in the war."

Describing the accident, which happened at night, the admiral quoted from the patrol record account of the Tang, which was commanded by Commander Dick O'Kane:

"It struck the Tang abreast the after torpedo room with a violent explosion about 20 seconds after it had been fired.

"The tops were blown off the after ballast tanks and the three after compartments flooded instantly. The Tang sank so rapidly that there was insufficient time even to carry out the last order to close the hatch.

"One consolation for those of us who were washed off the bridge into the water was the explosion of our 23rd torpedo against the last target which immediately settled by the stern.

"Those who escaped from the forward torpedo room were greeted by the transport's bow sticking straight out of the water a thousand yards or so away."

LEAGUE WOMEN PLAN PROGRAMS TO RAISE FUNDS

The enthusiasm with which the members of the Woman's League of Gettysburg college are meeting the current campaign to raise funds for the college was reflected in the attendance at the March meeting of the organization Tuesday afternoon in the social rooms of Christ Lutheran church with the president, Mrs. Raymond P. Sheely, presiding. Reports of the activities of the various groups into which the membership has been divided were given by the group chairmen who also outlined plans for future money-raising projects.

It was announced that a talk on "Women of the Bible" would be given by Mrs. Austin Fellenbaum, of Lancaster, on March 21 in Bruns Chapel and a recital by Miss Mary Louise Spangler at the same place on April 10. Other scheduled events include a Pageant of Shaws which will be held in March at St. James Lutheran church and a concert by the college choir under the direction of Prof. Parker Wagnild on April 30.

Present New Members

The names of Mrs. C. Arthur Brame, Mrs. Paul Spangler, Mrs. Clyde Markle, Mrs. Grant Mace and Mrs. Jay Johnson were presented for membership by Mrs. Marie Ziegler. Mrs. Ralph R. Gresh presented the name of Miss Mildred Stoner; Mrs. Charles R. Wolfe that of Mrs. Ralph

LEGIONNAIRES INVITED TO HEAR NATIONAL HEAD

Members of the Adams County American Legion posts have been invited to attend a talk by Paul H. Griffith, national commander of the American Legion, to be given Friday at 8 o'clock in the Senior high school auditorium at Waynesboro, Edward Culp, commander of the local post announced today.

National Commander Griffith is a veteran of both World Wars. Culp pointed out, serving two years in World War I and five years in World War II. Called to active duty in June 1940 with the rank of major, he was the first reserve officer to be summoned by the War Department for the latest emergency.

Promoted, he was sent as military aide and consultant for Louis Johnson, the personal representative of the president of the U. S. in the Middle East and Near East and assisted in the industrial survey of India for war mobilization. He was in Burma at the time of the disastrous allied retreat.

Infantryman in First War

Returning to the U. S., he was assigned to the office of Major Gen.

WELFARE UNIT NEEDS WORKER

A meeting of the advisory committee of the Child Welfare Services was held Tuesday evening in the office in the Murphy building with C. C. Culp, chairman, presiding. Six members were in attendance, including Dean Stover, Littlestown, a new member.

A letter of resignation from the Rev. John Ehrhart, formerly of Fairfield, who has moved from the county, was read and accepted with regret.

The failure, to date, to secure an executive secretary to serve in the position from which Mrs. Elizabeth Grieb resigned was discussed. It was felt that the failure was due to the fact that the secretary must use his own automobile.

The committee voted to finance piano lessons, for a 13-year-old girl residing in a foster home, for six months. It was also voted to pay for a permanent hair wave for another girl so situated.

Attendance of committee members at the regular monthly meetings was urged. A nominating committee for new committee members will be appointed at the next meeting, at which time a staff member will be invited to discuss the services of the agency.

CAR AND TAXI CRASH

A car driven by Hubert Smith, Jr., Gettysburg R. 1, and a Rufus Weaver Taxi driven by Edgar Bollinger, Franklin street, collided Tuesday afternoon at 4:10 o'clock on Baltimore street, borough police reported today. The crash occurred, according to Borough Office Paul B. Shealer, who investigated, when Smith attempted to pass another car while Bollinger was attempting to pass Smith. Damage totalled \$50.

Cut Wedding Cake

Attorney Donald M. Swope and his bride, the former Mary O. Howard of New York city, are shown cutting their wedding cake at the reception at the Hotel Gettysburg Saturday afternoon following their marriage in the Gettysburg Presbyterian church.



(Gettysburg Times Photo)

Revenue Office To Be Open Saturdays

The Internal Revenue office on the second floor of the Gettysburg post-office building will be open for the next two Saturdays to give assistance to residents of this community in the preparation of their income tax returns, it was announced today by Thomas C. McSherry, deputy collector.

Mr. Sherry said the Saturday hours will be the same as those observed on other days of the week—9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. He said pre-deadline income tax business so far has been "pretty good."

Littlestown FIREMEN PLAN CARNIVAL; SIX MEMBERS ADDED

Plans for the annual firemen's carnival and the election of six new members highlighted the monthly meeting of the Alpha Fire company in Littlestown Tuesday evening. The carnival will be held on August 28, 29, and 30, and September 1, Labor Day.

New members elected were: Wilbur Mayers, William Ebaugh, Joseph Feischmann, Jack Crouse, Robert Snyder, and Roscoe Bowers, honorary. Mayers is a son of Ernest Mayers, the fire company's World War II casualty. Carroll Oaster and Bernard Selby served as an election board.

Lewis Reaver, Mark Redding, and Sylvester Krumrine were nominated for membership. Richard Knipple, Luther Hankey, and Bernard Shadle were appointed a committee to investigate prospective new members.

Purchase Equipment

Assistant Fire Chief Kenneth Sentz reported one fire call last month, a chimney fire at the Brown apartments. He issued an appeal to residents of the town to clear snow away from fire plugs in front of their homes. Another report by Sentz revealed that twelve raincoats have been purchased for use of the firemen on duty, and a CO2

Contributions To College Drive Mount

The total pledged by Adams county to the Gettysburg college expansion campaign today reached \$46,233.45, Ralph Minker, representative of Ward, Wells and Dreshman, in charge of the drive, announced.

The previously reported total for Gettysburg and the county was \$44,728.55.

Mr. Minker announced also that the overall figure in the college drive had reached a total of \$274,925.55, as compared with the previous total of \$270,115.65.

Working To Open Secondary Roads

Centering their efforts today on "getting people out of the snow," state highway department workers in Adams county are using all of the state's equipment and nine hired bulldozers and a heavy grader to clear secondary roads in many parts of the county.

All of the main roads are open to at least one-car width, Superintendent J. William Kendeheart, Jr., said today. The widening of the traffic lanes on the main highways will be delayed until the side roads are opened.

CLAIMS PILOT'S MISJUDGMENT CAUSED CRASH

The heavy snow on the Gettysburg airport was partially the cause for the crash-up of a Nordin Norseman cargo plane Monday afternoon, State Policeman Edward Fhenani, of the Harrisburg office of the state police, said today.

Officer Fhenani who came here Tuesday to investigate the crash said that it was his belief that "the heavy plane, with a full load of gasoline and 4,200 baby chicks should never have attempted to fly out of the field while it was covered with snow. The snow drifts, from six to 15 inches in depth, prevented the plane from getting up flying speed and the cross wind that was blowing at the time caused the plane to veer somewhat from its planned takeoff course which, if it had been completed, might have permitted the ship to take to the air safely."

Called Misjudgment

The owner-pilot, Francis Watrous, Meriden, Conn., believed that he could fly the 7,000 pounds of plane, passenger, fuel and cargo off the

MRS. BOWERS, 53 EXPIRES TODAY

Mrs. Anna Bowers, 53, wife of Truman Bowers, Taneytown R. 1, died at the Warner hospital this morning at 7:32 o'clock. She became ill on February 20 and was admitted to the hospital on February 23.

The deceased was born on Taneytown R. 1, a daughter of the late George and Clara Weant. She was life-long member of the Piney Creek Presbyterian church and a member of the Bible class and Women's Missionary society.

Surviving are her husband; one son, Wilbur, Taneytown R. 1; one grandson; two sisters, Mrs. Maude Wantz, Taneytown R. 2, and Mrs. Rena Stambaugh, Taneytown R. 1, and two brothers, Paul and Lake Weant, both of Taneytown R. 1.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

CE Union To Hold Missionary Rally

The Adams County Christian Endeavor union will sponsor a missionary rally, Thursday evening, March 13, 7:30 o'clock, in the United Brethren church, Gettysburg.

The Rev. Louis C. Wolf, a graduate of Gettysburg college and the Lutheran Theological seminary, will be the speaker. The Rev. Mr. Wolf is a member of the faculty of the college.

Special music will be rendered including a vocal solo by Kenneth Beam, president of the Adams County Christian Endeavor union. A rally, especially for children, will be held at the same time. The meeting is open to the public.

Mrs. Kenneth Beam, Miss Ruby Barbour and Miss Julia Kime are arranging the program.

AT CONVENTION

Fred H. Wilkins and J. C. Denner, of Gettysburg, have returned from Pittsburgh where they attended the two-day convention of the eastern sales division of the Central Petroleum company of Cleveland, O., at the Fort Pitt hotel. Wilkins presided at the Friday morning session.

TRACES HISTORY OF EARLY ROADS IN THIS SECTION

The histories of the York-Gettysburg Turnpike, the Oxford road, the Brough road and the Berlin-Hanover turnpike were outlined Tuesday evening by George W. Baker, Abbotstown, at the March meeting of the Adams county historical society.

A charter was granted the York and Gettysburg Turnpike company on April 23, 1818, Baker told the group, and at a meeting held in the home of Frederick Baugher, Abbotstown, on May 2, 1818, the officers of the company were named as Alexander Cobean, president; Alexander Russell, Secretary, and George Upp, treasurer.

Most of the work on the 28-mile highway, which had an 80-foot right of way, was done by Irish laborers after the first contract was awarded on April 9, 1819. After the "pike" was viewed and approved by the state, its completion was celebrated at an ox-roast held on the farm of George Lashell, one of the managers. His farm was south of the farm more recently known as the Daniel Coleman farm near Guider's station.

Lincoln Highway In 1913

Stock subscriptions for financing the "pike" amounted to \$103,516. The state appropriated \$40,000. The first year's toll collections were \$3,565.73 and the expenses for that year were \$3,459.10% leaving a net balance of \$56,624. The first three per cent dividend was declared on May 4, 1931.

"During the first decade of the twentieth century the part of the 'pike' from New Oxford to Gettysburg was condemned and thrown upon the supervisors of the townships through which it passed, for up-keep," Baker related, "but when it became obvious that the supervisors were unable to finance the up-keep, that part of the 'pike' was taken over by the state, between 1911 and 1915, and improved.

"On February 18, 1918, the portion of the 'pike' from York to New Oxford was sold for \$96,000 by the stock holders. Of the \$96,000, York county paid \$36,700; Adams county paid \$11,220 and the state paid \$48,000 and took over the entire 'pike'. On September 10, 1913, the National Lincoln Highway Association designated the 'pike' as part of the Lincoln highway.

Detoured By Drivers

"Prior to the construction of the 'pike', drivers of Conestoga wagon teams frequently turned from the present route of the highway at the Marshall farm near Brush Run and passed through Hunterstown, Schrivers' corner, Mummastown, Hilltown and entered the present highway at Willow Grove. This was done to avoid the Cashtown hill. In the 1890's, people from the eastern part of Adams county left the 'pike' on account of its rough surface west of New Oxford and drove by way of Hunterstown or Bonneville to

I. Z. MUSSELMAN IS SHUFFLEBOARD CHAMP IN SOUTH

I. Z. Musselman, Orrtanna fruit grower, has been named champion shuffleboard player in St. Petersburg, Fla., according to news reports from that city.

Musselman, who annually spends the winter period in St. Petersburg, has also been named as first vice president of the Mirror Lake shuffleboard club of St. Petersburg, which now numbers 8,000 members and is the largest such club in the world.

In addition to winning the St. Petersburg championship, the highest honors he has won so far on the shuffleboard courts, he also won second honors in two out of city tournaments so far this year.

Wins Plaque for Club

"The Independent," St. Petersburg daily, reported the championship match in which Musselman took the title from Carl Spillman, last year's men's winner.

"The Musselman-Spillman match was a thriller in the last two games," the Independent reported, "Spillman was within one disc of victory in the second game, stopping on the line with his last shot, and the third game also was close from start to finish, producing some of the best shuffleboard seen here this winter."

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St. Francis Mothers To Meet Thursday

A meeting of the St. Francis Xavier Mothers' club will be held Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock in the school building with several things pertaining to the school children to be discussed, including the proposed formation of a Cub Scout pack for boys from 9 to 11 years of age. All interested mothers are invited to attend.

Biglerville Water Co. Says It Cannot Supply Musselman Firm Needs

The following ten complaints were prepared by residents of Biglerville against the Biglerville Water company charging the company with failing to furnish a sufficient water supply for commercial and industrial consumption in the upper community:

1. There is not sufficient water to give the town adequate fire protection.
2. The water company is not expanding to keep pace with the growth of the community.
3. There have been a number of occasions when individual users were unable to get any water through their faucets.
4. A number of townfolk have complained that the water on occasion has been unfit for use because of its odor and the dirt in it.
5. There has been delay in "hooking up" new residences with established water mains.
6. The water company shuts off the supply for repairs or other reasons without notifying the borough residents so they can have water on hand for the period when the mains are shut off.
7. When repairs are made the dirt that gets into the water must be 'flushed out' of the system by the individual users through their own faucets without any rebate given on the water bill.
8. There are 'dead ends' to the water system on each street, which results in those living near the dead ends getting poor water at times, and does not give the pressure and freshness that would be available if the system were connected so that a complete circuit would be made throughout the town.
9. The underground mains are not large enough to supply the water needed to fully utilize the present fire engines of the community and as a result not enough water could be secured to properly fight a large fire.
10. The inadequate water system caused the insurance rates for Biglerville to be placed in the very high brackets.

State To Replace Old Covered Bridge

The state Department of Highways today called for bids for the construction of an I-beam bridge over Marsh creek and 33 of a mile of macadam approaches in Highland township. The new bridge will replace the present covered bridge which crosses the creek at the site of the former Herter's mill on the road from the Lincoln highway to Knoxlyn.

The Adams county job is one of 12 projects on which the department has called for bids.

The new bridge will be located a short distance upstream from the present span, making possible a straightening of the approaches.

FORENSIC MEETING

A meeting of the Adams county branch of the Pennsylvania Forensic and Music League will be held at Littlestown Tuesday, March 18. Six schools, those of Littlestown, East Berlin, Gettysburg, Arendtsville, New Oxford and Biglerville will participate on the program.

Get Duplicate License To Be Married Tuesday Morning

George Roy Lighty and Odessa Mae Blevins, both of East Berlin R. D. 1, were married Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock in Christ Evangelical United Brethren church, York, but that ceremony followed some rather anxious moments for both of them since the original marriage license issued to them was at the bride's home, which is snow-bound by reason of drifts and inaccessible.

The license was issued by the clerk of the orphans court, York, on February 26 and was taken by the bride to her home in Paradise township. They had set Tuesday morning as the time for the wedding. During the absence from home of the bride the high winds drifted the roads so that it was impossible for her to get the necessary paper for the ceremony.

Tuesday morning they appeared in the orphans court clerk's office, told of their predicament and sought advice as to what to do. Their worries were soon put to an end by the clerk when he issued them a duplicate license.

With the proper credentials they went to the church and there the ceremony was performed by the pastor, the Rev. I. W. Moyer. The bridegroom is the son of Charles B. and Mabel S. Lighty and is engaged in farming. The bride is a daughter of Bron D. and Ethel R. Blevins.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Ruth Blevins, as maid of honor. Mr. Lighty had for his best man, Herbert Lighty, his brother.

The bride was attired in a navy blue suit and wore matching accessories. Her flowers were a corsage of pink carnations. The maid of honor wore a suit of light blue wool and black accessories.

Following the ceremony, dinner was served and a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for the bridal party and members of the immediate families. The couple will take a wedding trip to Niagara Falls and through the state of Ohio, where they will visit friends.

Mr. Lighty is a graduate of the East Berlin high school and is a veteran of World War II. He served for 26 months in the army air corps.

SNOW ISOLATES MANY TOWNS IN STORM SECTION

(By The Associated Press)

Towns in Pennsylvania and upstate New York were isolated and many rural schools were closed by a three-day siege of snowstorms that swept the Great Lakes basin and appeared today to be moving into the North Atlantic.

As much as 40 inches of snow fell in some areas during the storms, which were blamed for 17 deaths—eight in New York state, six in Pennsylvania and three in New England.

The freighter Novadot, last heard from three days ago when she messaged that a gale off the New England coast had ripped away a cargo hatch, was a possible storm victim. She carried a crew of about 25.

The Portland, Me., lightship, blown four miles off station by a gale and 30-foot seas, was towed to port late yesterday, her anchor missing and her engine out of order.

Eight Buffalo skiers, marooned near Honeoye Falls, N. Y., received food supplies by parachute. The Niagara Falls (N.Y.) Gazette used a helicopter for deliveries to rural subscribers.

A day and a half late, a pullman carrying 154 passengers finally reached Watertown, N. Y., last night behind three locomotives and a rotary plow.

The tie-up of transportation in upstate New York had cut off milk deliveries for many communities, and curtailment of the New York city supply was threatened.

Six-foot snowdrifts closed many Ohio schools, and Youngstown cut gas for industrial use by 50 per cent.

Several New England towns were isolated.

New snow was forecast for much of the North Central region of the country today.

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field despite the snow which slowed the plane's ground speed, Phenani said he was told. If any blame could be attached to the crash, he added, it was one of misjudgment of the pilot on his ability to get off the field.

Several hundred feet of runway beyond the place where the plane struck trees and crashed would have been open to the pilot if he had not veered too far to the left, Phenani said. He said he believed the wind against the huge tail of the cargo ship and the drag of snow against the wheels caused the plane to yveer against attempts of the pilot to keep it on a straight course.

The tracks of the ship show that 600 feet from the trees where it crashed the plane had become airborne for a distance of about 10 feet, Phenani added. The pilot told him that at that point the engine failed and he immediately cut off the gas to prevent fire, the trooper said. The ship then traveled 600 feet and overran several trees before a larger tree was struck and the ship overturned.

JAILED FOR HEARING

Herman Kuykendall, Gettysburg R. 5, is in the Adams county jail in default of bail to appear for a hearing at 7 o'clock this evening before Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder. Kuykendall was arrested Tuesday by state police on a warrant sworn out by Clair Shultz, Gettysburg R. 5, on a surety of peace charge before Justice Snyder.

SPEEDER FINED

Donald Marion Puttsall, Sykesville, Md., paid a fine of \$10 and costs Tuesday before Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder after pleading guilty to a charge of speeding laid by state police.

Coming Events

- March 5—Gettysburg chapter Reserve Officers Association meeting at the fire engine house at 8 p. m.
- March 6, 7 and 8—Celebration of 40th anniversary of founding of Gettysburg Aerie No. 1562 of the Fraternal Order of Eagles.
- March 13—County Christian Endeavor Missionary rally in Gettysburg U. B. church at 7:30 p. m.
- March 14—Pageant of Shaws at St. James church, Woman's League group project.
- March 16—Address by Dr. Elmer G. Homrighausen, Princeton, in Methodist church.
- March 19 and 21—Gettysburg high school play, "A Case of Springtime."
- March 21—Talk by Mrs. Austin Pellenbaum sponsored by Woman's League of Gettysburg college at Brua chapel at 8:30 p. m.
- March 21—Planning conference of Adams County Council of Christian Education at St. James Lutheran church.
- March 24—Concert, Henri Temianka, violinist, Brua chapel.
- April 10—Vocal recital by Miss Mary Louise Spangler in Brua chapel for Woman's League of Gettysburg college.

State Police Say

When you cross a street or highway be responsible for your own safety. It's up to you to walk safely — and live longer.

BE ALERT — AND ALIVE

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

A group of women from the county are planning to attend a Four-County Council meeting of auxiliaries of the American Legion at the Y.M.C.A. in Waynesboro Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bragdon have returned to their home at Bridgeport, Conn., after a short visit with Mrs. Bragdon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Snyder, West Stevens street.

Jack Glenn has resumed his studies at Lehigh university, Bethlehem, after spending a mid-year recess with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. John G. Glenn, East Lincoln avenue.

The hostess committee for the March 12 meeting of the Women's club will include the following: Mrs. J. I. Burgoon, chairman, Miss Anna Cairns, Mrs. James P. Cairns, Mrs. Frederick E. Griest, Mrs. John D. Keith, Mrs. D. P. McPherson, Jr., Mrs. Ellis Musselman and Mrs. J. Donald Swope.

The Tampus club will meet Saturday evening at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Dunning Idle, Baltimore street.

The Friday Literary club will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. Ellis Musselman, Springs avenue. Mrs. Frank Clutz will be in charge of the program with "Clocks" as her subject.

The board of the Trinity Evangelical Reformed church school will meet this evening following the Lenten service.

Fifty members and guests attended the annual covered dish supper held Tuesday evening by the Maude Miller Bible class at St. James Lutheran church. St. Patrick's Day decorations were used. Mrs. Swartz Hoke was in charge of the business meetings. Musical numbers were rendered by Sidney Shade on the clarinet and Prof. Richard Shade who played three piano selections. Miss Kathryn Oiler gave a human interest talk on her work at the library.

The committee in charge of arrangements included Mrs. Carl E. Oyler, Miss Carolyn Rupp, Mrs. Margaret Vanderwall, Mrs. Lester Bowers, Mrs. Lloyd Hartman, Miss Bess Schriver and Mrs. Charles M. Sheely.

Those from the St. Ignatius parish, Buchanan Valley, who attended the seventh annual day of Recollection at St. Joseph's academy, McSherrystown, Sunday were Mrs. Virgie Hall, Mrs. William Irvin, Mrs. Genevieve Oyler, Mrs. James Cole, Mrs. Anne Cole Shields, Mrs. Ernest Miller, Mrs. Grace Kump, the Misses Ella Irvin, Emma, Betty, and Eileen Hall, and Catherine Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Lauver, East Middle street, left today for a two weeks' vacation in Miami, Fla.

Cpl. George A. Flenner is spending a 28-day terminal leave at his home in Fairfield after returning from overseas. He served with the Army Air Force, Air Transport Command, in Germany, Italy, Austria and France.

SNOW BLOCKS BOOKMOBILE

Drifted roads forced cancellation of three trips by the Adam County Free Library bookmobile but books specially requested by the schools on those routes have been mailed to them. Miss Kathryn Oiler, county librarian, said today.

The schools not served by bookmobile this week will be visited next on April 7, 8, and 9, Miss Oiler said.

On April 7 these schools will be covered: Woodside, Heidlersburg, Whitcomb's View, Wierman's Mill, Two Churches, Mechanicsville, Victory, Round Hill, Hampton, Oak Grove, New Chester station and New Chester.

The list for April 8 includes: Hoffman's orphanage, Mt. Vernon in Germany township, Slate Ridge, Oak Grove, McCurdy's, McIlhenny's, McCleary's and Pitzer's.

On April 9 the bookmobile will go to White Run, Two Taverns, Pleasant Grove, Littlestown, Ash Grove, Center, Pine Grove, Chestnut Hill and Valley Grove schools.

County Receives \$8,750 Liquor Fund

Auditor General G. Harold Wagner today approved payment of \$3,074.745.86 in liquor license refunds to 1,049 municipalities in the Commonwealth. The payments represent the allocations from the Liquor License Fund of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board, as authorized by law. Adams county payments totaling \$8,750, include:

Boroughs — Abbottstown, \$200; Arendtsville, \$100; East Berlin, \$150; Fairfield, \$100; Gettysburg, \$1,450; Littlestown, \$925; McSherrystown, \$700; New Oxford, \$425. Townships — Conewago, \$600; Cumberland, \$1,000; Franklin, \$1,100; Freedom, \$150; Hamiltonban, \$200; Huntingdon, \$150; Mt. Pleasant, \$400; Oxford, \$450; Reading, \$100; Straban, \$600.

The only time during the year when more than eight bells are sounded on shipboard is at midnight New Year's Eve, when 16 bells are sounded.

Wedding

Kimmel—Hopple

Miss Freda Arlene Hopple, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hopple, Dillsburg, and Eugene Lester Kimmel, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Kimmel, Two Churches, near East Berlin, were united in marriage February 8 in Hagerstown, Md., by the Rev. Mr. Plummer, a United Brethren clergyman, who used the double-ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, of near Dillsburg, were the attendants. The bridegroom served in the navy for about two years during which he was stationed overseas. The couple is residing near East Berlin.

DEATHS

Mrs. Carl Pape

Word has been received here of the death on Tuesday of Mrs. Helen Snyder Pape, 46, wife of Carl Pape, at her home at 3605 St. James Road, Baltimore. Mrs. Pape had been confined to bed since Thanksgiving Day with a complication of diseases.

Her husband, brother of the late John Pape, formerly lived in Gettysburg and was in the garage business. He and Mrs. Pape were frequent visitors and had many friends here. There are no children.

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Newell funeral home at Pikesville, Md., with interment in Druid Ridge cemetery.

Mrs. Julia Weikert Leach

Mrs. Julia Weikert Leach, 74, 10 Orchard street, Hanover, died this morning at 7 o'clock.

She was a daughter of David and Mary Jane (Rider) Weikert. Her husband, Harry Leach, died August, 1929.

Surviving are the following children: Mrs. Emil Finney, Harrisburg; Mrs. Walter Sterner, Baltimore; David Leach, New Oxford; Mrs. Richard Stover, Hanover; Miss Helen Leach, Hanover; 12 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Isaac Rife, Guldenville, Mrs. Lillian Yingling, Gettysburg, and James E. Weikert, Gettysburg.

Funeral services Friday at 2:30 p. m. from the Feiser funeral home, Hanover, conducted by the Rev. Sanderson A. Jacobs, Hanover, officiating. Interment in Evergreen cemetery, this place. Friends may call Thursday evening at the Feiser funeral home.

William H. Crum

William H. Crum, 66, died at his home in Arendtsville this morning at 11:15 o'clock after a week's illness. He had, however, been in failing health for some time.

A son of the late Charles Crum, he is survived by his mother, Mrs. Ida Malaun Crum and two brothers, Carmen F. and James E. Crum, both of Arendtsville.

Funeral services Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Routsong and Dugan funeral home, Bendersville. Friends may view the body Friday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Harry O. Myers

Mrs. Anna Louise Myers, 70, wife of Harry Oliver Myers, Fairfield, died at her home Tuesday afternoon about 3 o'clock from a complication of disease.

She was a daughter of the late John M. and Katherine Hare.

Surviving are her husband; nine children, Mrs. Russell Markel, Biglerville; Mrs. Earl Musselman, Fairfield; Mrs. Dale Hartzell, Arendtsville; Mrs. Wilbur Weikert, Gettysburg; Earl, Clyde, George and Raymond, all of Fairfield; 24 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Smith, Harrisburg, and Mrs. Catherine Rider, Waynesboro, and four brothers, John Hare, Gettysburg; Charles Hare, Littlestown; George Hare, Biglerville, and William Hare, Waynesboro.

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the S. L. Allison funeral home, Fairfield, conducted by the Rev. Dr. Norman Wolf. Interment in the Fairfield Union cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Eicholtz Rites Held

The funeral of Clayton E. Eicholtz, who died Friday at his home in Hampton, was held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the Eicholtz home with further services in the New Chester Reformed church. The Revs. Elmer Drumm and Alvin J. Forry officiated. Interment was made in the church cemetery. The pallbearers were Guy Albright, Roy Myers, Howard Triebner, Jefferson McIntyre, George Millhimes and Herman Heller.

Hollidaysburg, Pa., March 5 (P)—Herbert A. Miller, 38, of Altoona, today was sentenced by Blair County Judge George C. Patterson to life "at separate and solitary confinement at hard labor" in Western penitentiary after he was adjudged guilty of first degree murder in the death of his son, Robert, 14 months old. Miller admitted striking the child a fatal blow with his fist last October 24. He pleaded guilty and the court fixed the degree in a two-day trial without jury.

At sea level, water boils at 212 degrees Fahrenheit, but at 30,000 feet it will boil at 156 degrees.

COW IN WEANER HERD TOPS FAT RECORD IN DHIA

"Fanny," a registered Holstein in the herd of Edgar Weaner, Gettysburg R. 4, was the highest producer of butterfat among 441 cows in milk tested during the past month according to the February records of Charles F. Klinger, tester for the county Dairy Herd Improvement association.

"Fanny" produced 80.3 pounds of butterfat. Her nearest competitor, "Victory" in the herd of B. J. Grifflie, York Springs R. 2, produced 69.9 pounds of fat.

Nineteen herds were tested, Klinger's report shows, with 441 cows in milk, 151 cows dry, six cows were sold for dairy purposes and three were sold for non-dairy purposes. Sixty-five cows produced over 40 pounds of butterfat, 18 produced over 50 pounds of butterfat, 86 produced over 1,000 pounds of milk and 41 cows produced over 1200 pounds of milk.

On the honor roll for the month were herds of B. J. Grifflie, York Springs R. 2; Joseph Stoner, East Berlin R. 2; and Edgar King, East Berlin R. 2. The Grifflie herd with 15 cows produced an average of 37.1 pounds of butterfat per cow, the Stoner herd of 20 produced 33.2 pounds per cow and the 16 head in the King herd produced 30.2 pounds per cow.

The highest producing cows, in addition to "Fanny" and "Victory" were "Nig," owned by B. J. Grifflie, a registered Holstein, 69.4 pounds; "Rosebud," R.A., owned, Charles B. Spicer, Gettysburg R. 4, 68.2; "Spice Ayr Cray," R.A., owner, Charles B. Spicer, 61.3; "Bonnie," R.H., owner, A. I. Hostetter, Littlestown R. 2, 60.6; "Dores," R.H., B. J. Grifflie, 59.6; "Sally," Gr.H., George Adams, New Oxford R. 2, 59.4; "Nellie," R.H., A. I. Hostetter, 56; "Spicy Maiden," R.A., Charles B. Spicer, 56.

A AND P STORE GIVES R.C. \$25

A donation of \$25 from the local A and P store highlighted the gifts received by the Adams county Red Cross office today as the annual funds drive for \$12,440 entered its third day.

More than 250 solicitors are engaged in a door-to-door canvass of the community and county during the drive, although only one has reported in so far with a complete report. Most of the solicitors are planning, as usual, to complete their calls before turning in the amounts received to the county office. As a result, the Rev. George H. Berkheimer, chairman of the drive, said today that as in previous years very little is expected to be brought into the office until the end of the week.

A \$5 gift from the Bonneville fire company and a \$5 donation by the Barlow fire company were among checks received by the county Red Cross office.

A total of \$338 had been received in the drive up to this morning at the county office.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Admissions to the Warner hospital include Richard Leister, Gettysburg R. 1; Mrs. George Kugler, Emmitsburg; Mrs. Calvin Heintzelman, Biglerville R. 1; Mrs. Nile Thomas, Biglerville; Paul Myers, 441 West Middle street, and James Fager, Littlestown. Mrs. Jacob Ford, Gettysburg R. 1, was admitted and also discharged. Others discharged were Mrs. Alex Deatridge, Emmitsburg; Jane Bupp, Gettysburg R. 5; Mrs. Clarence Keller and infant daughter, Patricia Ann, Gettysburg R. 4; Mrs. Luther W. Ritter and infant daughter, Martha Amelia, Littlestown, and Mrs. Cletus L. Wildasin and infant son, Ronald Jay, Littlestown.

A son born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heyser, Gettysburg R. 5, died at the hospital Tuesday evening at 9:30 o'clock, a little more than an hour after birth.

Birth Announcements

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Heintzelman, Biglerville R. 1, announce the birth of a daughter at the Warner hospital this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack R. Lindquist, San Jose, Calif., announce the birth of a none-pound six-ounce son, Rodger Alan, at the San Jose hospital March 3. Mrs. Lindquist is the former Ola Deane Moyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon L. Moyer, 524 York street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bastuscheck of Altoona, announce the birth of a son at the Altoona City hospital on Tuesday. Mrs. Bastuscheck was formerly Miss Margaret Saby, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Saby, Carlisle street.

ON COLLEGE BOARD

Miss Joan Johnston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney B. Johnston, Springs avenue, a junior student at Stephens college, Columbia, Mo., was recently elected to the Coordinating Board of Hetzler Hall, one of the 25 residence halls on the Stephens campus. As a member of the board, Miss Johnston will serve as scholarship chairman in her residence hall. She is a member of Tau Sigma Tau, honorary art sorority.

Upper Communities

The Ira E. Lady post No. 262, American Legion, will meet in regular session Thursday evening at the post home on West York street, Biglerville.

The auxiliary of the post will meet at the post home on the same evening. The program for this meeting will include special music with talks on music and the lives of composers. Mrs. Clarence Deardorff, president of the auxiliary, will preside.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Orner had as guests recently at their home in Biglerville their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David C. Morgan and daughter, Anna, of Spring Grove.

Jacob Deatrick and Robert Strine, of Aspers, John Lawver and Earl Crum, of Biglerville, attended a hockey game at Hershey Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Blanche Sterrett, of Mifflin-town, has arrived for a week's visit with her son, Dr. North Sterrett, of Arendtsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Walton, Jr., and son, Richard of Progress, and Mr. and Mrs. James C. Martin and daughter, Ellen, of Cumberland, Md., have concluded a visit with Mrs. Richard C. Walton, of Biglerville.

Mrs. E. Dale Heiges, of Biglerville, has returned from a visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Heiges, of Washington, D. C.

Leo Kleinfelter, of Biglerville, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Meyer, of Chevy Chase, Md.

See Indications Of Inflationary Period

New York, March 5 (P) — The metalworking paper Iron Age said today rising prices for non-ferrous metals, iron and steel scrap, and pig iron "definitely point up an inflationary period outshadowed only by temporary periods during and shortly after World War I."

Scrap prices were reported "entirely out of control" with the market for this basic material "in its most chaotic state in steel-making history."

With ingot output this week placed at 94.5 per cent of capacity and a higher operating rate anticipated for some months to come, the paper said, "some sources fear that scrap quotations may go higher before a reaction sets in."

DOG HAS 10-YEAR SCHOOL RECORD

Wall, Pa., March 5 (P)—Spot, a dog well past his prime, is due for a signal honor this May—a certificate showing perfect attendance for the last 10 years at Wall public school.

The big, wooly black and white fellow, who looks as if he may have descended from a Newfoundland or a St. Bernard, has been shepherding members of the Stanko family to and from the school ever since he was a puppy.

First he waddled along two years at the heels of his master, John Stanko. Then little Roselle started to school and he took her in charge. And now he follows Bob who is 13 and in the eighth grade.

Spot won't be able to keep it up much longer, even if young Stankos do keep coming along.

"He's getting blind," said Bob, who is laid up with a broken leg. "The other day, on his way to school in the evening, he passed right by me and didn't see me. When 6 o'clock came and he wasn't home, I went out to hunt him. He was still sitting at the school door, waiting for me to come out."

County Past Grands Hold Meeting Here

The Rev. Dr. Jacob M. Myers spoke on "Truth—One of the Principles of the Order" at Tuesday evening's meeting of the Past Grands' Association of the IOOF of Adams county held in the local Odd Fellows' lodge rooms on Chambersburg street.

Charles C. Rodgers was accompanist for the singing of "America" and Morris W. Stansbury of the Gettysburg lodge delivered the address of welcome. George M. Neely of Valley Home Lodge, Fairfield, gave the response. The Rev. Ross Forcey played several piano numbers and then accompanied Mrs. Forcey who played several flute solos.

The Rev. Dr. Myers was introduced by John E. McDonnell, chairman of the entertainment committee.

NEW DICKINSON DEAN

Carlisle, Pa., March 5 (P)—Dr. Russell I. Thompson has been appointed dean of Dickinson college succeeding Dr. E. A. Vuilleumier. Dickinson President William W. Edick said Dr. Vuilleumier, dean since 1933, will devote full time to his post as professor of chemistry. Dr. Thompson, a native of Reading, Pa., holds degrees from Dickinson and Yale university.

The air above the earth weighs 14.7 pounds per square inch at sea level.

SPRING DRIVE BY REDS FAILS

Changechun, March 5 (P)—The government commander in Manchuria asserted today the Communist offensive against Changchun was smashed, with 5,000 enemy dead on the battlefield and the rest in full retreat.

The commander, Gen. Tu Li-ming, told newsmen the blow was so severe that his troops could capture Harbin, the Communist stronghold, within 10 days. He said, however, he had no orders to drive on north.

General Tu gave this version of the operations, during which the Communists were known to have pushed to within 12 miles of Changchun, Manchuria's capital and, by Tu's account, the No. 1 objective.

This was the Communists' spring offensive, which had been in the cards for six months. Gen. Lin Piao, Communist Manchurian commander, had prepared 20 divisions, of which about 15 were committed.

For seven days, during which the Communists hurled 140,000 troops into the battle of Tehhwe, bloody fighting raged a scant 15 miles south of Sungari river.

JURY TOLD OF MONEY DEALS

Harrisburg, March 5 (P)—A government witness testified today at the conspiracy trial of former federal Judge Albert W. Johnson that \$200 of a \$330 appraisers' fee was paid to Jacob Greenes, a co-defendant.

Jacob Levy, Greenes' uncle told the jury of three women and nine men that he was named appraiser for the Grant drygoods store in Scranton after he had "asked Donald Johnson to be remembered for any such work."

Johnson, along with two other sons of the former jurist, Miller A. Johnson and Capt. Albert W. Johnson, Jr., Greenes and John Memolo, are on trial on charges of conspiracy to obstruct justice and defraud the United States.

Sometime after his conversation with Donald Johnson, Levy testified, in 1936 or 1937 he received a \$330 check for his services. A few days later, the witness continued, Greenes appeared at Levy's office and demanded \$200.

"I just looked at Greenes with amazement and then handed him the money," Levy testified.

Pa. Hospitals Face Heavy Debt Problem

Harrisburg, March 5 (P)—Pennsylvania hospitals are facing strangulation from their "tremendous debt" incurred in providing free care to needy patients, the hospital association of Pennsylvania reported.

The association said in a statement that \$15,000,000 will be required this year if the state's 168 hospitals are to successfully meet minimum costs of free patient care.

"The simplest arithmetic demonstrates that the amount of state aid must be greatly increased," declared Dr. Donald C. Smelzer, managing director of the Germantown dispensary and hospital, Philadelphia, adding:

"Is it sensible, in terms of economy or humanity to risk a strangulation of the general hospitals by their tremendous debt arising from free care of needy patients?"

ASKS WARTIME CONTROLS

Washington, March 5 (P)—The CIO today called for reestablishment of wartime controls over newspaper to cope with a severe shortage. Thomas B. Wright, chairman of the newspaper division of the CIO committee on publication, told a reporter he would carry the appeal to a Senate small business subcommittee which is studying the problem.

News Briefs

Annapolis, Md., March 5 (P)—Governor Lane today had on his desk for signature a bill passed by the Maryland General Assembly which would permit banks in all but five of the state's counties to close on Saturday. The House of Delegates completed legislative action on the measure yesterday after lively debate. The five exempted counties, in which banks must remain open on Saturdays, are all on Maryland's eastern shore.

Lahore, India, March 5 (P)—The death toll in Lahore's communal rioting, which began yesterday, mounted to at least 17 today. Police said they opened fire on unruly crowds in the old walled section of Lahore this morning but no deaths were reported.

Washington, March 5 (P)—A proposal to allow a general 10 per cent increase in rents got over its first hurdle in Congress today.

It was approved 3-2 by a Senate Banking subcommittee. It will be considered tomorrow by the full banking committee of 13. If they approve, it will go to the Senate. A favorable vote there would send it to the house.

Biglerville

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ling was Vernon B. Corle, manager of the Westmoreland Water Company, Greensburg, Pa., former manager of the Biglerville and Gettysburg Water Companies.

Can't Find Wells

Mr. Rigling said the water company has a reservoir on the John Sachs farm of 1,500,000 gallons capacity with water obtained from nearby wells and springs. He said a survey had been made of the territory within seven miles of Biglerville but that a geology fault interfered with the development of any new wells of sufficient capacity in this section except a well on the Sellik property just outside the borough line.

Corle testified that this would produce 35 gallons of water per minute but that attempts to buy an acre of land from the Sellik farm to develop wells had failed, and that the Musselman company had later acquired the entire farm. Corle said he had offered \$250 for an acre but that the owner was not interested in selling less than the entire farm for \$15,000 and the deal fell through.

Many conferences were held between water company officials and John A. Hauser, president of the Musselman company, Corle said, and the Musselman company was appealed to curtail its use of water.

Found Hard Water

The Musselman company had several wells and pumps on its own property, Corle said, but the water could not be used for all purposes. This supply was described as hard water to distinguish from the relatively soft water of the town supply.

"We have conferred frequently with Mr. Hauser and searched for other locations to sink wells," Mr. Corle said. "Through an agreement

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ter." Musselman won 24-102, 101-95, 106-95.

Due to growing membership of the club of which he is vice president, the group plans to enlarge its quarters, build a new grandstand and otherwise improve its quarters, Musselman said in a letter to friends here. The club has a balance of \$36,000 on hand to start its construction work.

Musselman's victory in the city championship gave the Mirror Lake club permanent possession of the city plaque given each year to the champion and which goes to a club when won three times by members of the club.

Mr. Musselman has been a director of the First National bank of Gettysburg for the last five years.

with the Snyder farm at the south end of the borough we were permitted to sink a test well but this turned out to be hard water.

Sought Trade of Wells

"Then we learned that the Musselman company had purchased the Sellik property and we made an effort to trade wells producing 100 gallons of hard water per minute for the 35-gallon-per-minute Sellik well which had been drilled by the Musselman company. Hauser refused," Corle said. He said the Musselman company offered to sell part of the Sellik farm to the water company for \$4,000.

"We can't meet the Musselman company's demand unless we get more water," Rigling also said.

Water company representatives testified that other developments outside the immediate Biglerville area were economically impossible for the water company.

The hearing was expected to continue into Thursday.



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BASEBALL LOOP CHOOSES SOUTH PENN AS NAME

Adams county's newly organized Sunday baseball league will be known as the South Penn league following adoption of that name at a meeting of league officials Tuesday evening at the American Legion home on Baltimore street.

Floyd Kuhn, Cashtown, was elected vice president, succeeding Clement Hawn, Bonneauville, who refused to serve in that capacity.

The six original member teams of the circuit were represented at the meeting. An effort is being made to secure two more teams until the next meeting which will be held Tuesday, March 18, at the Legion home.

It was decided the league season will open April 20 and in the event only six teams participate each team will play each other team three times during the regular season. The championship playoffs will be between the first four teams, with three semi-final games and three title games.

Player Restrictions

The roster will remain open until May 30. Each team is permitted 18 players and will be allowed to add two returning veterans. Teams will be allowed to sign players within a 15-mile radius providing they are residents of Adams county. Players will not be allowed to participate in any other independent league.

The starting times for games was set at 2 p.m. American league rules will be followed. Each team presented its forfeit money and team roster at the meeting.

At the meeting on March 18 the schedule will be drawn up and rules adopted. Chester Schriver, secretary-treasurer of the loop, presided at Tuesday's meeting in the absence of Roy Shandbrook, president.

Training Camp Briefs

Lakeland, Fla., March 5 (AP)—The Detroit Tigers are "definitely the team to watch out for" in the American league pennant race, in the opinion of Bill Veck, owner of the Cleveland Indians.

"Maybe the (Boston) Red Sox stack up a little better than you do now," the club owner told some of the Bengals when paying an unexpected visit to Tiger spring training camp here yesterday, "but as far as Cleveland is concerned, Detroit definitely is the team to watch out for in the pennant chase."

Notes from other training camps: **Miami Beach** — Pittsburgh's two home run belters, Hank Greenberg "big boom" and Ralph Kiner "little boom" are slated to play in the outfield today when the Pirates hook up with the Browns in their first exhibition game of the season.

Sarasota, Fla.—Boston Red Sox officials indicated that they expect slugger Ted Williams to arrive today, but merely shrugged to the question, "where's Rudy York?"

Avalon, Calif.—Russ Meers, rookie Chicago Cub southpaw, reported that Denny Carroll, former Detroit trainer, has found nothing seriously wrong with his sore arm.

Pasadena, Calif. — Manager Ted Lyons planned to use Rookie Pitchers Bob Gillespie, Earl Harritt and Bill Evans for the Chicago White Sox clash against U.C.L.A. today.

Orlando, Fla.—Washington's outfield problem was complicated by the trade that brought back outfielder George Case and sent hurler Roger Wolff to Cleveland. Manager Ossie Bluege has said he plans to play Gil Coan in left but now is tempted to inject some right-handed batting punch in the outfield by playing Case.

Clearwater, Fla. — The Phillies, with the exception of pitcher Schoolboy Rowe, voted Stan Musial of the St. Louis Cardinals as the most valuable player in baseball over Ted Williams of the Boston Red Sox.

Miami, Fla. — Manager Muddy Ruel of the St. Louis Browns faced a problem today—how to avoid losing a game in which his pitchers hurl no-hit ball. The Browns lost such a game to Braves yesterday, 2-1.

County School Cage League

Boys' League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Boiling Springs	9	2	.818
Biglerville	8	2	.800
Arendtsville	7	3	.700
Littletown	5	5	.500
East Berlin	5	6	.455
New Oxford	2	9	.182
Fairfield	1	10	.091
Girls' League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Arendtsville	9	0	1.000
Biglerville	9	1	.900
Littletown	6	3	.667
East Berlin	4	5	.444
Boiling Springs	4	7	.364
New Oxford	3	8	.273
Fairfield	0	11	.000

Tonight's Games
Fairfield at Arendtsville.
Boiling Springs at East Berlin.

Steam kate until it's tender in a little melted fat in a flat covered pan.

An automobile uses about 1,200 cubic feet of air to burn a gallon of gasoline.

Bigler Quint Opens Playoffs Tonight

Tonight Biglerville high school's cagers, only Class B team in the Adams County Scholastic Basketball league, will clash with Duncannon high, Twin County league champions, in a District 3 PIAA playoff game on the Camp Hill high school floor.

Duncannon sports a record of 17 victories against but one defeat and is highly regarded among the playoff teams.

Coach Gene Haas, who is in his first year at Biglerville, has piloted his team to a record of 10 wins against three reverses. The Cannons are in second place in the county league and have excellent chances of tying Boiling Springs for the leadership or even copping the honors in the event the Bubbler loses to their league game at East Berlin tonight.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.

New York, March 5 (AP)—The Montreal Royals, Brooklyn's No. 1 farm, are coming up with a "wottaman" who may rival the Giants' fabulous Clint Hartung. . . . He's Maynard DeWitt, a young outfielder who hails from Prairie Green Township, Ill. . . . Last season he stole 110 bases for Danville, Ill., of the Three-Eye league, hit .351 to lead the circuit and made 187 hits and 151 runs for firsts in those departments. . . . According to Jake Pitler, Maynard is the fastest man in the entire Dodger organization, and another expert claims: "If he hits the ball on the ground he's safe." . . . Pete Matisel, the freshman fullback, who quit Colgate because Coach Andy Kerr wouldn't use him, is joining the westward trek to the University of San Francisco.

ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE

The final decision on Biggie Munn's jump from Syracuse to Michigan state came only after he pulled his assistant coaches, Forest Ryschewski, Hugh Daugberty and Kip Taylor. They said to move so Biggie did and took them along. . . . His predecessor, Charlie Bachman, spent two months after he "resigned" hitting the banquet circuit in behalf of the school he had left. Well, a guy has to eat, job or no job. . . . Ernie Calverly of the Providence Steamrollers set at least one basketball record against Detroit the other night when three men who guarded him fouled out and Ernie sank him of the 17 foul shots awarded him. . . . The grandfather and grandmother of Herbie Kronowitz, who fights Artie Levine in the Garden Friday, were a strong man and a bareback rider, respectively, with Barnum and Bailey's circus. . . . Letter from England, addressed to "Hon. Sec. U.S.A. Pro Football League, U.S.A.," recently was delivered to National Football league headquarters here and Publicist George Strickler exults: "Even the Postoffice Department knows we're the only big league."

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)
Miami, Fla.—Jersey Joe Walcott, 192½, Camden, N. J., outpointed Elmer (Violent) Ray, 194½, Hastings, Fla., 10.
Pittsburgh—Juste Fontaine, 141, Pittsburgh, knocked out Dorsey Lay, 141½, Philadelphia, 10.
Detroit—Fred Dawson, 135, Chicago, outpointed Bobby McQuillar, 134, Port Huron, Mich., 10.
Brooklyn—Irish Charley Hayes, 163½, Detroit, stopped Vic Amato, 160½, Brooklyn, 4.
Jersey City, N. J.—Lou Lombardi, 138½, Jersey City, outpointed Patsy Brandino, 140, Hamilton, Ont., 8.
Trenton, N. J.—Archie Devino, 127½, Newark, N. J., outpointed Ivor Fredericks, 122½, Puerto Rico, 8.
Elizabeth, N. J.—George Martin, 138, New York, outpointed Al Mobley, 145, Newark, N. J., 8.
Scranton, Pa.—Gene Boland, 155, Detroit, stopped Rego Dell, 154, Dunmore, 7.
Pasadena, N. J.—Jim Milligan, 151, Paterson, N. J., knocked out Leroy Wilson, 153, Newark, N. J., 1.
Los Angeles—Fitzzy Fitzpatrick, 181, Los Angeles, outpointed Jack Porter, 175, Oakland, Calif., 10.

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Elizabeth, N. J.—George Martin, 138, New York, outpointed Al Mobley, 145, Newark, N. J., 8.
Scranton, Pa.—Gene Boland, 155, Detroit, stopped Rego Dell, 154, Dunmore, 7.
Pasadena, N. J.—Jim Milligan, 151, Paterson, N. J., knocked out Leroy Wilson, 153, Newark, N. J., 1.
Los Angeles—Fitzzy Fitzpatrick, 181, Los Angeles, outpointed Jack Porter, 175, Oakland, Calif., 10.

No Salary Ceiling For St. Louis Cards

St. Louis, March 5 (AP)—Sam Breadon, the man who puts out the money, says there never has been a "ceiling" on salaries paid by his St. Louis Cardinals. He wouldn't break his rule of not making public the matter of what his players are paid but he said, in an interview, that over the years the Cardinals must have been paid fairly well—because they have played winning baseball most of the time. "And," he added, "you don't get winning baseball out of a man who is dissatisfied and unhappy, which is what he would be if he did not get a fair amount of money." He pointed out that in the last 21 years the Cardinals have won nine National league baseball pennants and six World Series, and finished out of first division only three times in the last 22 years.

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CHAMBERSBURG FACES HERSHEY HERE TONIGHT

	W.	L.	Pct.
Hershey	6	1	.857
Chambersburg	6	1	.857
Carlisle	4	3	.571
Hanover	3	4	.429
Waynesboro	3	4	.429
Shippensburg	3	4	.429
Gettysburg	3	4	.429
Mechanicsville	0	7	.000

Tuesday's Score
Carlisle, 47; Mechanicsville, 33.
Tonight's Schedule
Hershey vs. Chambersburg, Gettysburg college.

An overflow crowd is expected to jam the Gettysburg college gymnasium tonight for the second half championship playoff in the South Penn cage league between Chambersburg and Hershey high schools.

Hershey pulled into a tie with Chambersburg for the second half title Monday evening by defeating Hanover. In the event they win tonight's tilt another game will be staged between the same teams for the league championship and the right to enter the District 3 Class A PIAA playoffs.

Coach Lowell Schlichter's Chambersburg outfit, three-time South Penn champs, won the first half race and can clinch both the second half and league championships through a victory.

Starting lineup for the defending champions will probably include Gillespie and Kane, forwards; Leshner, center; Schuchman and Young, guards.

The Hershey starters are expected to be Baiochi and Wenger, forwards; Wolfgang, center; Gaspari and Gaspar, guards.

Chambersburg is being favored in most circles to cop the game. The defending champions nipped Hershey 46-24 at Chambersburg and then lost an extra period game 45-36 at Hershey.

Doors to the gymnasium will open at 7 o'clock with the game getting underway at 8 o'clock. General admission will be 75 cents. There will be no reserved seats.

The officials will be Everett Morgan and Clay Stricker.

Basketball Scores

College			
	G.	F.	Pts.
Harvard, 64; Pennsylvania, 48.			
LaSalle, 53; St. Francis, (Brooklyn), 44.			
W. and J., 87; Bethany, (W. Va.), 66.			
P. and M., 58; Delaware, 52.			
Georgetown, 57; Duquesne, 39.			
Manhattan, 70; Albright, 53.			
St. Johns, (Brooklyn), 57; New York U., 56.			
Lafayette, 41; Rutgers, 39.			
Villanova, 65; Scranton, 46.			
Boston U., 60; Boston Col., 57.			

Flyers Defeat Reds; Blow To Playoffs

(By The Associated Press)
The Philadelphia Rockets and the St. Louis Flyers have had little to cheer about during the current American Hockey League season but the two sextets may have plenty to say as to what teams will participate in the loop's forthcoming playoffs.

The Flyers, who recently ended the second place Western Division Pittsburgh Hornets' 19 game winning streak with a 8-4 victory, last night dealt the playoff hopes of the Eastern Division Providence Reds a crushing blow by outskating the New Englanders, 6-3.

Although they are only one point out of third place, the last playoff position, the Reds have only four games left to play while the third place New Haven have five. Meanwhile, the Rockets, who have won only four games all season, battled the second place Eastern Division Springfield Indians to a 2-2 tie.

Brothers Held In Assault On Teacher

Norristown, Pa., March 5 (AP) — Two brothers were held in Montgomery county jail today on charges of assaulting a 45-year-old school teacher who had upbraided their cousin.

The men were identified by State Policeman Don Deacraft as Robert Whistler, 23, and James Whistler, 19. Deacraft said the two attacked Charles B. Shoup, teacher at the Linfield public school, yesterday in his classroom. The teacher suffered a fractured nose, lacerations of the head and multiple lacerations of the lips and face.

There are no railroads in Iceland.



Were Stomach Ulcer Pains Napoleon's Waterloo?

The great Napoleon who conquered nations was himself a victim of after-eating pains. Those who are distressed with stomach or ulcer pains, indigestion, gas pains, heartburn, burning sensation, bloated and other conditions caused by excess acid should try Udgas. Get a 25c box of Udgas Tablets from your druggist. First dose must convince or return box to us and get DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK.

Elks Bowlers Enter Waynesboro Tourney

The Gettysburg Lodge of Elks will enter a five-man bowling team, three two-man teams, and six individual bowlers in the annual tournament of the South Penn Bowling association which will be held at the Waynesboro Bowling Center from March 7 to 9, inclusive.

Included in the Elks' five-man team will be Kermit Deardorff, William Kuhn, Michael Tate, Robert Hoffman and Barton Poth. Two-man teams will be composed of Kermit Deardorff and Michael Tate, William Kuhn and Robert Hoffman, and Barton Poth and George Baugher. Each of the keggers will also enter the individual matches.

The local bowlers are scheduled to engage in their first match Sunday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock.

EAST BERLIN HI TAKES 2 GAMES

East Berlin high took both county league basketball games from New Oxford Thursday evening at New Oxford.

Irv Kopp's boys took their game 30-15 in easy fashion after piling up an 18-6 lead at half time. Mummert sparked the winners with 11 points.

The East Berlin girls also won handily in taking a 23-10 verdict. Leese landed 16 points to outscore the entire New Oxford team.

This evening East Berlin will be host to Boiling Springs, leaders in the boys' division.

	G.	F.	Pts.
Mummert, f	4	3-3	11
Myers, f	1	0-0	2
Ling, f	2	2-5	6
Frey, f	1	0-0	2
Altland, f	1	1-1	3
Shellenberger, c	0	0-0	0
J. Myers, g	1	2-5	3
R. Hamme, g	0	0-0	0
Bollinger, g	1	0-1	2
C. Hamme, g	0	0-0	0

	G.	F.	Pts.
Totals	11	8-15	30
	G.	F.	Pts.
New Oxford	3	1-3	7
E. Mechtly, f	3	1-2	1
J. Miller, f	0	1-2	1
Schriver, f	0	0-0	0
G. Mealy, f	1	1-4	3
R. Miller, f	0	1-1	1
Harnet, c	0	2-3	2
Wentz, g	0	1-1	1
D. Yealy, g	0	0-0	0
Wildasin, g	0	0-3	0
I. Mechtly, g	0	0-0	0

	G.	F.	Pts.
Totals	4	7-17	15
Score by periods:			
East Berlin	8	10	6-30
New Oxford	2	4	5-15
Referee, Leber.			

	G.	F.	Pts.
East Berlin	10	3-11	23
Leese, f	7	2-5	16
Spangler, f	0	0-3	0
Cooley, f	3	1-3	7
Altland, f	0	0-0	0
Billet, f	0	0-0	0
King, g	0	0-0	0
Winand, g	0	0-0	0
Lillick, g	0	0-0	0

	G.	F.	Pts.
Totals	10	3-11	23
New Oxford	1	3-5	5
Hippensteel, f	1	1-2	3
Gable, f	0	0-0	0
Draper, f	0	2-4	2
Miller, g	0	0-0	0
Hoover, g	0	0-0	0
Griffin, g	0	0-0	0
Roche, g	0	0-0	0
Stock, g	0	0-0	0
Benedict, g	0	0-0	0
Millar, g	0	0-0	0

	G.	F.	Pts.
Totals	2	6-11	10
Score by periods:			
East Berlin	4	8	3-23
New Oxford	3	3	3-10
Referee, Leber.			

Softball League Will Meet Monday

A meeting of the Gettysburg softball league will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Moose home on York street, President Ralph Johnson announced today.

The first session of the year for the league, the meeting is being called to arrange plans for the 1947 playing season, Johnson said.

C.O.D. postage for U. S. letters was not made illegal until 1855.

PUBLIC SALE

HOUSEHOLD GOODS OF PETER H. STONER, DECEASED
1:00 O'clock P. M. Thursday, March 13, 1947

The undersigned, executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Peter H. Stoner, deceased, will offer for sale on the premises on Steinwehr Avenue, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, at 1:00 o'clock p. m., Thursday, March 13, 1947, the following household goods:

Stand; 2 rockers; stand; lounge chair; 4 straight chairs; Victrola; mirror; pedestal; straight chair; China closet; day bed; stand rocker; buffet; heating stove; extension table; kitchen table; kitchen range; 2 straight chairs; arm chair; ice box; kitchen cupboard; electric washer; sink; gas stove; lot dishes; lot cooking pans; bureau; wash stand; mirror; chair; dresser; iron bed; spring; lawn mower; hot plate; lounge and rug; iron bed; spring; mattress; single iron bed and spring; bench; wash stand.

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GEORGETOWN U. ENDS DUQUESNE VICTORY STREAK

Philadelphia, March 5 (AP)—Duquesne university, sole ruler of the lofty kingdom inhabited by undefeated basketball teams, has been dethroned.

The Dukes' amazing 19-game victory streak was rudely terminated last night by a Georgetown quintet that only a week before had been one of the Western Pennsylvania team's victims.

Furthermore, the tumbling of Duquesne from the ranks of the unconquered—for a month the only unbeaten collegiate team in the nation—was soundly administered as the host Washington, D. C., five made the basket strings swish with a 57-39 beating.

Title For Lafayette

The loss, though, may prove a blessing to the Dukes who have one more regular season game before participating in the New York National invitational tourney. It should remove the pressure.

All in all, twenty Pennsylvania college teams turned their top sharpshooters loose last night and one of the 10 winning quintets came out with a title.

Lafayette, aided by two last-minute foul throws by Jack Milne, edged Rutgers 41-39 to win the middle three basketball league championship. The Maroon won the crown by virtue of its previous triumph over Lehigh.

Breaking loose with a torrent of field goals—nine to be exact—Villanova's Joe Lord took over the Keystone state scoring leadership from Elizabethtown's Frankie Keath, who was not in action.

Lord tossed in 22 points as the Wildcats downed Scranton, 65-46 to amass a season total of 424 to date, four more than Keath.

Army Units Reaching U. S.

(By The Associated Press)

The transport Thistle, due at Seattle with 104 troops, is the only ship carrying service personnel scheduled to arrive today (Wed.) at a United States port.

The Gen. Stewart with 1,173 troops from Bremerhaven docked yesterday at New York, and the Mexico Victory with 43 troops, five Navy personnel and 43 civilians from New Caledonia docked at San Francisco.

Veteran Held In Death Of Grocer

Pittsburgh, March 5 (AP)—James M. Forse, Jr., 23-year-old war veteran, was ordered held for grand jury action yesterday after a coroner's hearing in the pistol death of Alfred H. Kemper, 69, a grocer.

The coroner's jury spent only four minutes in reaching its verdict. Forse did not testify. In earlier statements, quoted by District Attorney Artemas Leslie, Forse admitted attempting to rob the store for a "thrill" but said Kemper was shot accidentally in a struggle for a pistol Forse was carrying.

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Out Of The Past

From the Files of the
Star and Sentinel and
The Gettysburg Times

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Royal Wedding Was Brilliant (By Associated Press) London, Feb. 28 — Princess Mary, only daughter of King George and Queen Mary was married today to Viscount Lascelles with all the pomp and dignity befitting a royal wedding. The ceremony began in Westminster Abbey at 11:30 and soon thereafter the couple were pronounced man and wife while the chimes of Westminster rang out the happy message and vast crowds gave tumultuous greetings. The scene of the ceremony within the historic walls of the abbey was one of impressive grandeur with the king and queen and entire royal household participating and with all ranks represented in the brilliant assembly, while outside the abbey enthusiastic homage was given the bridal pair.

Marriage Performed: Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Lettie Ellen Topper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Topper, of Biglerville, to John Henry Allison, son of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Allison, of Fairfield. The ceremony took place at the Reformed parsonage a week ago last Saturday evening, Rev. P. R. Pontius performed the ceremony.

Cleared \$100 at Supper: The Ladies' Missionary society of the Presbyterian church cleared about \$100 for the cause of missions at a chicken supper held Tuesday evening in the social rooms of the church. One hundred and seventy-five persons were fed during the evening.

Elected Director: Charles H. Smith, of the Rice Produce company, was elected a director of the Gettysburg National bank at the meeting of the directors Tuesday.

Were Married Same Day: Roy Allen Carbaugh and Miss Jessie Pearl Welker were married Thursday by Rev. H. D. Rhoad, of Harrisburg, at the parsonage in that city. Earlier in the day the couple received their license from the clerk of the courts here.

Alumni Musical Pleased Many: An appreciative audience which comfortably filled the high school auditorium Thursday evening heard the entertaining program given by members of the Alumni association of the school.

Among the numbers worthy of particular mention were the vocal solos by Mrs. W. R. Sammel and Mrs. R. E. Zinn. Miss Ethel Culp was the accompanist. The selection rendered by the male quartet composed of R. E. Zinn, M. R. Remmel, Percy Miller and Maurice Stallsmith called for repeated encores. The violin solos of Rex Gilbert and Henry Scharf were also well received and both responded with encores.

Miss Lily Dougherty responded with several encores of recitations. Other pleasing numbers were a piano duet by Mrs. Carrie Pretz and Miss Elsie Tawney; a vocal duet by Misses Anna Miller and Helen Pfeiffer and a selection by the alumni chorus.

About \$35 was cleared by the entertainment, which will be used to start a fund for building a gymnasium for the public school children of Gettysburg.

Propose Hotel for Gettysburg: Tentative plans for the construction of an eight-story modern hotel in Gettysburg were presented Saturday afternoon at a luncheon in the Hotel Gettysburg. It was estimated the structure would cost approximately \$1,000,000.

Twenty-five business men of the town heard the proposition explained by William Grenoble, resident manager of the William Penn hotel in Pittsburgh, and William Waller, architect and construction engineer of New York city. Mr. Grenoble and Mr. Waller represent Pittsburgh hotel men, who, it is said are able to finance the proposition to a large extent and are desirous of placing a hotel in Gettysburg.

Cleanup Squad Here Monday; In

Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

REACH AND ROOTAGE

I came across a striking sentence in a book that I read recently in which the author, writing about the tall buildings at Radio City, in New York city, said that they reach far into the sky, and deep into the earth.

How like the human mind—ever reaching, dreaming, looking to the heights, studying the stars and planets—and wondering, yet at the same time speculating, digging into, and ever wondering about the mysteries hidden deep into the earth.

And there is a counterpart in the building of character with the poetic part of one's makeup far into the sky and the solid, substantial, essential qualities deep in the earth. Both, however, balancing character.

I don't know whose idea it was to carve those faces of a handful of great Americans upon the peak of one of those towering hills of the Dakotas. Someone, undoubtedly, who thought of Washington, Lincoln, Jefferson and Theodore Roosevelt as representatives of the towering hills themselves. I recall a poem by an American poet, who spoke of Washington "as like some towering mountain."

That which inspires us all is this reaching up to higher things, and delving deeper into that which we have never understood. Rootage—that is what those great Sequoias in California have, and they also reach far into the sky. They are thousands of years old. It takes time to reach high and to take deep hold in the depth of things!

We all of us know so very little.

A lifetime is but a primary education. Centuries are needed for mature growth. How much more do we know than our fathers? We know how to invent, make money, and to kill, but how much have we improved upon the art of living and learning? We are "babes in Toyland!" We will not even come of age until we learn how to permanently conserve life and strive for universal happiness, among all men and all nations.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "Things That Return."

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

The Poet of the People

PHEASANT DINNERS

They look to me to feed them all
When it is plain to see
That should the pangs of hunger fall
They should be feeding me.

Eight pheasants strutting round about,
Much plumper far than I,
Expecting me to hurry out
Their breakfasts to supply.

That handsome, glomineering male
Of China's gaudiest breed,
Of collar white and lengthy tail,
My family would feed.

Yet daily as his flock I see,
Not one would I condemn.
I'd rather they should feed on me
Than I should dine on them.

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The Almanac

March 6—Sun rises 6:27; sets 6:56.
Moon sets 4:33 a. m.

March 7—Sun rises 6:26; sets 6:57.
Moon rises in evening.

MOON PHASES

March 6—Full moon.

March 14—Last quarter.

March 22—New moon.

March 29—First quarter.

connection with the visit of the

Clean-Up Squad of the Veterans' Bureau to Adams county, many

questions have arisen in regard to matters of the vocational training

which the government offers to disabled ex-service men as a means of

rehabilitation.

All veterans from Gettysburg or the county, having new claims to make or wish adjustments, are

urged to interview the Clean-Up Squad Monday or Tuesday in the

court house. Do not forget to bring your discharge papers.

Personal Mention:

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rider, of Cumberland township, announce the birth of a daughter on Wednesday, February 22nd.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McIntire, Carlisle street, a daughter on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Guise, Gettysburg, Route 4, announce the birth of a son, February 22.

B. P. Maguire, East Middle street, was a week-end visitor in York.

Miss Sara Black, Baltimore street, spent the week-end with Miss Ruth Burgoon, in Littlestown.

Mrs. Joseph Hardman, of South Washington street, is spending several days in Baltimore.

The Julia Harpster Missionary society met with Mrs. A. B. Plank on Thursday evening.

Miss Maude Bream is a guest of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. George W. Nicely, of Hanover.

FAMILY CELEBRATION

Kansas City, (AP)—When the new son born to Mrs. Jackie Kirkpatrick gets ready to celebrate his first birthday next March 4 he should have lots of help. His mother's birthday is March 4. His grandmother, Mrs. Elberta Williams of Ogden, Utah, also has a March 4 birthday.

It is now believed possible to produce a tire which will last as long as an automobile.

Cleanup Squad Here Monday; In

NOW IS TIME FOR SOLIDARITY IN AMERICAS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)

Perhaps we are over-imaginative, but it strikes us that there is a vastly important relationship between President Truman's good-will visit to Mexico and the European politico-economic crisis which—among other things—has impelled England to ask the United States to shoulder British obligations to Greece.

One doesn't suggest, of course, that this relationship is direct—that Mr. Truman's journey was undertaken because of the Anglo-Greek difficulty. The Mexican trip was arranged before the proposal regarding Greece was made. The point to which I wish to direct your attention is this:

The Greek situation spot-lights the possibility that Russia may extend her zone of influence clear across western continental Europe. Should that happen it would give the Soviet Union domination of most of the eastern hemisphere—from the English channel right through to the Pacific. It would mean Communization of all territory controlled by Moscow.

Two Big Powers

In short, we should have a world divided not only geographically but politically into two hemispheres. There are two paramount powers today, and it is a caprice of fate that each global division should have one—Russia in the eastern and the United States in the western. They are the only virtually self-contained countries in the world.

The ways of life of these two hemispheres would be wholly at variance—politically, economically, spiritually. The dove of peace, unhappy bird, might have difficulty in finding a branch on which to rest.

It may be that for a time the world will suffer from a division between the eastern and western hemispheres. However, the consensus of statesmen and observers is that appeasement isn't the cure for this tragic situation, but that on the contrary this is a situation which calls for solidarity and stone-wall defense politically, economically, militarily—and spiritually, for even our religion is coming under assault.

East Berlin

East Berlin—The Women's Work Organization of the Church of the Brethren conducted a meeting during the week at the Harvey King home near here.

The Mite society of Zwingli Reformed church conducted its turkey supper and bake sale at the church annex on Saturday afternoon. The affair originally scheduled for Washington's Birthday, had been postponed because of drifted roads.

Ross Eisenhart, Washington, D. C., was a visitor during the past week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis A. Eisenhart, and also visited other relatives here.

Miss Nettie E. Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garman Myers, R. 2, has been in ill health for some time and has been confined to her home.

Mrs. Floyd Hoffman has returned to her duties in the office of the Penn Wood Heel company after several days' confinement to her home due to a severe cold.

The Rev. M. R. Hamsher, Harrisburg, will be guest preacher at Trinity Lutheran church on Sunday, March 16.

Miss Mary E. Kreider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Obed E. Kreider, Philadelphia, formerly of here, has been seriously ill for some weeks at a Philadelphia hospital with an intestinal ailment. Among those who recently visited the Kreiders were their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Paul P. Lerew and Mrs. George W. Smith.

Mrs. Smith also visited her mother in Philadelphia, after which the party proceeded to Atlantic City, N. J., where Mrs. Smith visited a daughter and the Lerews attended a convention of the National Auto Dealers' Association of which Mr. Lerew, local garageman, is a member.

Mrs. Bayard O. Whittington has been seriously ill with a rheumatic ailment and confined to bed at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Mummert, with whom the Whittingtons reside.

Painting and redecorating has been completed to the interior of the People's State bank.

Bobby, six-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Zeigler has been seriously ill with pneumonia in the

Wife Missing Since Holdup Fatal To Cop

Philadelphia, March 5 (AP)—Detective Inspector George F. Richardson said today 30-year-old Mrs. David Almeida has been missing since the night a policeman was shot to death after a holdup in which her husband is sought.

Richardson reported a teletype alert was sent authorities throughout the nation after a source he declined to identify disclosed she might have been accosted by Almeida and spirited away against her will.

Patrolman Cecil Ingling was killed January 30, trying to halt three men after robbery of a food market, Edward Hough, 32, was captured and Almeida, 32, and James F. Smith, 22, have been hunted since on homicide charges.

WOMAN WON'T CASH DIVIDENDS

Scranton, Pa., March 5 (AP)—This is a story about a woman who refuses to cash \$25,000 in dividend checks paid her by the Glen Alden Coal company since 1939.

The woman is Miss Mary B. Powers of New York, executrix of the \$900,000 estate of a relative, Caroline Powers.

The strange case was disclosed yesterday when the state of Pennsylvania went into court here to ask that the money be placed in escrow. Thus the commonwealth could start escheatment proceedings against the money if Miss Powers fails to claim it.

Under a state law, Pennsylvania has the right to obtain dividends which are unclaimed for a period of six years.

The company says failure of Miss Powers to cash the checks keeps its books unbalanced. Firm officials told Judge T. Linus Hoban that repeated efforts to have the woman collect the funds have failed.

Hanover hospital. The baby was a hospital patient for a similar ailment a few months after his birth.

Fred E. Shetter, who accepted a position with the government to do radio and electrical work in China, is now on his ocean voyage to that country according to word to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Shetter.

The Rev. Snyder Alleman, pastor of Trinity Lutheran church, has announced that spring Communion service will take place on Palm Sunday, March 30, preceded by a preparatory service Friday evening, March 28. Infant baptism will also be administered on Palm Sunday.

A special observance was made recently by members of the Lutheran church at Wrightsville to commemorate the 18th anniversary of the beginning of the pastorate there of the Rev. Jacob Monroe Spangler, formerly a resident of this place. The Rev. Mr. Spangler is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Spangler.

JAP BLUEBEARD TRIED IN DEATHS OF 7 VICTIMS

By DUANE HENNESSY

Tokyo, March 5 (AP)—A weird scarecrow of a man in a long black coat and a pointed straw hat that drooped to his shoulders was tugged into court at the end of a rope here today for trial as Japan's latest bluebeard, a confessed strangler of women.

The prisoner peered through two slits in his hut-like hat behind which Japanese law permits him to hide his face from the public.

In the courtroom, however, removal of the hat wiped out the Wizard of Oz look to disclose mild-looking, 43-year-old Yoshio Kodaira, former naval warrant officer who told the three judges in the packed and remarkably dirty courtroom that he had killed seven of the 10 women with whose deaths he is charged since April, 1945. Most, he said, were strangled after he had lured them into wooded areas.

Kodaira denied slaying the other three and angrily declared he was not the "Peeping Tom" who had annoyed women in a Japanese dormitory by squinting through the windows.

"Such Loose Conduct" "I never committed such loose conduct—the idea," he said.

The prisoner, blinking through horn-rimmed spectacles, showed no emotion as the prosecutor detailed the crimes of which he is accused. His admissions of guilt were firm and quick.

More than 350 Japanese packed the little dimly-lighted courtroom in the damaged ministry of justice area.

In mid-afternoon the judges called a full day's recess—it's one day on and one day off in Japanese courts. Two policemen boosted Kodaira out of his chair, slapped on the "straw man" hat, snapped handcuffs in place and led him away with the rope re-knotted around his middle.

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10 head milch cows; Ayrshire cow carrying third calf, fresh by day of sale; Ayrshire cow carrying sixth calf, due in August; Guernsey cow carrying third calf, due in August; spotted cow just bred; red cow carrying third calf, due in September; Jersey cow carrying fourth calf, fresh by day of sale; Jersey cow carrying second calf, due in March; Holstein cow carrying second calf, fresh by day of sale; Holstein fresh in summer; Guernsey fresh some time in April; Holstein Heifer carrying first calf, due in August; Holstein heifer fresh in May; two Holstein and one Guernsey Heifer not bred; four stock bulls; Holstein Bull large enough for service; reg. Holstein bull one year old with papers; reg. Guernsey bull with papers, out of Norman King herd; Red bull; another stock bull; two reg. Guernsey bulls.

70 Head Hogs

Four sows to farrow by day of sale; three stock hogs, fit for service; the rest, shoats ranging from 30 lb. to 125 lb. each. 50 leghorn laying hens.

Farm Implements

Two 2-horse wagons with bed; Oliver riding plow; John Deere 32-disc harrow; Superior grain drill 10-disc; two McCormick-Deering riding corn workers; John Deere mower 5-ft. cut; hay rake; Albright two-row corn planter; two grindstones; corn sheller; McCormick-Deering chop mill with bagger; Stewart hand clipper; harness; five sets front gears; bridles; collars; single and double trees; Clean Easy portable milk machine; Osborn binder 7-ft. cut; Oliver riding plow; rubber-tired farm wagon; 25 home-made brooms.

Sale starts at 12 noon, sharp. Terms cash.

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George Haar, auctioneer.

Jacobs & Moul, clerks.

Refreshment stand reserved.

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Wife Missing Since Holdup Fatal To Cop

Philadelphia, March 5 (AP)—Detective Inspector George F. Richardson said today 30-year-old Mrs. David Almeida has been missing since the night a policeman was shot to death after a holdup in which her husband is sought.

Richardson reported a teletype alert was sent authorities throughout the nation after a source he declined to identify disclosed she might have been accosted by Almeida and spirited away against her will.

Patrolman Cecil Ingling was killed January 30, trying to halt three men after robbery of a food market, Edward Hough, 32, was captured and Almeida, 32, and James F. Smith, 22, have been hunted since on homicide charges.

The Greek situation spot-lights the possibility that Russia may extend her zone of influence clear across western continental Europe. Should that happen it would give the Soviet Union domination of most of the eastern hemisphere—from the English channel right through to the Pacific. It would mean Communization of all territory controlled by Moscow.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR SALE GENERAL

FOR SALE: SOW AND NINE PIGS. Also John Deere tractor, plow, Mack Sides, R. 1.

FOR SALE: SHOATS, 40 to 50 pounds, Richard Sullivan, Aspers, R. 1.

FOR SALE: HANOVIA ALPINE sun lamp, prescription model. Phone 335-W.

FOR SALE: DAVENPORT, GOOD condition, S. G. Bigham, Biglerville, Phone 19.

FIRE PLACE SCREENS. Lower's.

FOR SALE: PIANO. MRS. LAURA R. Guise, Biglerville, R. 1.

FOR SALE: HATCHING EGGS from high laying strain, New Hampshire Reds; also Cochins, bantams, H. G. Raab, opposite West Gettysburg Inn.

BROAD BREASTED RANGE FED turkeys, alive or dressed, Hoffman and Winebrenner, near old airport.

FOR SALE: COW AND CALF. Phone York Springs 73-R-15.

FOR SALE: GRAY AND NICKEL Columbian Lustre range, warming closet; also 30 gallon size range boiler, with fittings. Charles Heller, Aspers, R. 1.

FOR SALE: THREE OR FOUR room heatola, excellent condition, price reasonable. Phone Fairfield 20-R-13.

FOR SALE: USED RECORDS. Peace Light Inn Gift Shop.

FOR SALE: THREE HUNDRED gallon Friend sprayer, power take off, twenty gallon pump. Good condition, Ralph Tyson, Gardners.

GIPTS. LOWER'S.

FOR SALE: GRAY ENAMEL KALAMAZOO range with water front, like new, and 30 gallon galvanized hot water tank. Also can of lard. Mrs. John Garretson, Aspers. Phone Biglerville 52-R-2.

LAUNDRY TUBS. LOWER'S.

FOR SALE: STAKE BODY FOR one and one-half ton truck. First class condition, price right. Harry S. Blieseker, Cashtown. Phone Gettysburg 942-R-23.

PAINTS. LOWER'S.

OIL HOT WATER HEATERS. Lower's.

USED CARS FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 1942 CHEVROLET 4 door sedan, \$1,050; 1941 Plymouth coach, \$1,050; 1941 Chevrolet coupe, \$1,050; 1937 Pontiac coupe, \$575; 1937 Chrysler Airflow, \$675; 1933 Chevrolet coupe, \$350; Trucks Brand new 1947 Ford dump; 1941 Mack tractor; 1941 White tractor; 1941 Chevrolet dump; 1941 Chevrolet tractor. Also several trailers. We trade and finance. Apply E. L. Smith Garage, 241 S. Wash. St. Phone 651-Y.

FOR SALE: 1946 CHRYSLER SEDAN, radio and heater; two 1946 Plymouth sedans, radio and heater; two 1946 Chevrolet sedans, radio and heater. Apply Elserman and Luckenbaugh Auto Sales. Rear Street and Charles Sts., Hanover, Saturday between 12 and 5 p. m.

FOR SALE: MODEL A FORD PICKUP. Boys' 24 inch bicycle; 24, 28, and 28 1/2 season wheel. Call 500-Z.

FOR SALE: 1937 ONE-HALF TON international pickup truck, excellent condition, \$350.00; also four wheel trailer, needs tires, \$20.00. 237 Steinwehr avenue.

FOR SALE: 41 MERCURY COACH. Apply evening, Oak Grove Service Station, McKnightstown.

FOR SALE: 1930 MODEL A FORD in good condition. Junior Keefe, Mt. Taber.

FOR SALE: 1936 PLYMOUTH, 4 door; also gas hot water heater, 26 South Franklin Street.

FOR SALE: 1946 CHEVROLET; 1941 Studebaker Commander; 1940 Pontiac, Stough and Casciani, Aspers. Phone Biglerville 151-R-24 or 58-R-2.

FOR SALE: 1929 ESSEX IN GOOD condition. Call Biglerville 65-R-4.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

Women or Girls
Experience Preferred
For Presses
High Wages, Vacation With Pay
40-Hour Week
Gettysburg Steam Laundry
49 Steinwehr Avenue

WANTED: GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, if capable, experience not necessary. Write Box 306 Times Office.

EARN BIG MONEY SPARE TIME. Show newest Everyday card assortments, get easy orders. Sensational 15-card "American Beauty" box sells for \$1, pays up to 50 cents profit. Birthday, Convalescent, Humorous, other boxes, retail 60 cents up. Gift Wraps, Stationery, Samples on approval. Write: Friendship, 531 Adams, Elmira, N. Y.

LOST

LOST: BOW KNOT PIN SET WITH rhinestones, Sunday morning between Gettysburg and Christ Lutheran church. Reward if returned to Times Office.

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED: FRESH EGGS AND poultry of all kinds. Open from 6:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday to Friday inclusive. R. J. Brendle, Lincoln Way East, New Oxford. Phone New Oxford 140.

WANTED TO BUY: WHITE OAK and ash logs and oak piling or will buy entire tract if suitable. Ralph A. Smith, Tyrone, Pa.

WANTED: OLD FURNITURE, glassware, china, tin. Kane's, Seven Stars.

WANTED: EAR CORN, AND baled wheat straw. S. G. Bigham, Biglerville, Phone 19.

WANTED: JUNK, RAGS, PAPERS, old iron. Our trucks and wagon will call for it. Phone 666-X. Gastley Brothers.

WANTED: GOOD MILLING wheat. Top price. Phone Biglerville 143-R-12. Arendtsville Roller Mills.

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED VETERAN STUDENT and wife desire pleasant furnished room, centrally located in Gettysburg. Write Box 311, Times Office.

WANTED: SMALL APARTMENT for two people. Lottie Hutter, 243 North Stratton Street.

WANTED TO RENT: HOUSE. Charles N. Lightner, Phone 546-Z.

WANTED TO RENT: HOUSE. Phone Dr. David C. Stoner. 227-W.

WANTED: HOUSE 5 ROOMS OR more by April 1st. George R. Cool, Thurmont, Md., R. 2.

HELP WANTED

WANTED: ASSISTANT BOOK-keeper, vacation with pay. Excellent opportunity for advancement for right person. Apply Penn Ceramic Mfg. Co., Aspers.

WANTED: RESTAURANT HELP. full or part time. Apply Butt's Diner, Buford Avenue, next to Esso Station.

WANTED

WANTED: COUPLE, HEALTHY, dish board on farm June 1 to October. Will pay well. Ralph Duffy, Box 374, Station A, St. Petersburg, Florida.

WANTED: HAULING OF ANY kind, any place, for stake body and dump trucks. Apply Mark A. Becker, Biglerville 142-R-2.

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE: HOMES OR BUILDING lots in new residential development. See P. W. Stallsmith, Real Estate Broker, Center Square, Gettysburg.

FOR SALE: NEW 5 ROOM STONE home, Ridge Avenue, immediate possession. Phone 213-Z. Oran Hess.

FOR SALE OR RENT: FARM OR rent house. J. Martin Brame, Aspers, R. 1. Phone Biglerville 145-R-4.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: FURNISHED ROOM and garage. Apply Times Office.

MISCELLANEOUS

RADIO REPAIRING, ALL MAKES, models, Baker's Battery service, opposite Post Office.

RIFLE MATCH: HUNTERSTOWN Gun Club. Thursday night, March 6th.

AMERICAN HOME-FARM FREEZERS, 8, 15, 22 cubic foot sizes. Immediate delivery. Haller Farm Service, 243 Steinwehr Avenue, Gettysburg, Phone 672.

WE HAVE IT

Lower's Country Store
Table Rock, Pa.

PIANO TUNING SINCE 1896. FREE estimates. Write Eberhart Sons, Hanover. Phone 23177.

WE BUY AND SELL EVERYTHING for the home. Shenker's Furniture Store, 449 West Middle Street. Phone 47-Y. Gettysburg.

PARAKEET SEED AND SUPPLIES. High Street Pet Supply, 352 1/2 High Street, Hanover. Phone 8108.

RUMMAGE SALE: MARCH 7 AND 8. Episcopal parish house, West High Street.

PAPER AND CARTONS FOR frozen foods, Lower's.

WE WILL HOLD A 22 RIFLE match, Friday, March 7th, 7:30 p. m. Aspers Fire Company, Aspers.

F-FISH, FLAGS, FLASHLIGHTS, frankfurters, frilling, frozen foods, frying pans. Thomas Brothers.

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

In re: Estate of George E. Deardorff, deceased, late of the Borough of Biglerville, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Petition for allowance of Widow's Exemption.

Notice is hereby given to all parties interested in the above estate that the widow's exemption therein has been filed in the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania, and was confirmed the 1st day of March, 1947, and same will be confirmed absolute within thirty days of confirmation nisi.

J. F. YAKE, Jr., Attorney.

A quick dip into cold water loosens the jacket on a cooked beet so it slips off like a glove.

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
Notice of Application for Incorporation
In re: Littleton Home Association of Mason and Dixon Memorial Post No. 6954, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that an Application will be made by Joseph H. Redding, Kenneth L. Steck, William A. Moore, Robert B. Warchem, Leo S. Riley and Norman W. Snyder, of Littleton, Pennsylvania, to the above court on Monday, March 10, 1947, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of obtaining a charter for the Littleton Home Association to be organized under the "Non-profit Corporation Law" of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, approved May 4, 1933, P. L. 289. The name of the proposed corporation is "Littleton Home Association of Mason and Dixon Memorial Post No. 6954, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Inc.", the office and address of which will be Littleton, Littleton, Adams County, Pennsylvania. The purpose for which it is to be organized is fraternal, patriotic, historical and educational, to preserve and strengthen comradeship among its members; to assist worthy comrades; to provide for the education and training of the youth of the community; to preserve and defend the United States from all enemies and to these ends to acquire, receive, own, sell, lease and mortgage real and personal property. It will operate for the benefit of the community and for the benefit of its members. The Articles of Incorporation have been filed in the Office of the Prothonotary of Adams County, Pennsylvania.

DANIEL E. TETTER, Solicitor.

BIDS REQUESTED

Sealed separate proposals for separate contracts to be received at the Office of the Architect, John B. Hamme, 220 E. King Street, York, Pa., or the Office of the Commissioners of Adams County, Gettysburg, Penna., until 10:00 A. M. Eastern Standard Time, March 26, 1947, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read.

Drawings and Contract Documents may be obtained from the Office of the Architect, John B. Hamme, 220 E. King Street, York, Pa., or the Office of the Commissioners of Adams County, Gettysburg, Penna., until 10:00 A. M. Eastern Standard Time, March 26, 1947, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read. The purpose of the proposed work is to construct a new County Jail which will be used for the confinement of prisoners of the County of Adams. The proposed work includes the construction of a new building, the remodeling of the existing building, and the construction of a new wing. The proposed work is to be completed by October 1, 1948. The proposed work is to be completed by October 1, 1948. The proposed work is to be completed by October 1, 1948.

Each Bidder must deposit with his bid a certified check of corporate bidder's bond of not less than 5 percent of his base bid and, in the form and subject to the conditions set forth in the contract documents.

Each Contractor must furnish labor and materialmen's and performance bonds as called for in the Contract Documents. All bids will be accepted and contracts let of credit and drawings or cross sections returned will not be made. They may be seen at the Office of the Pennsylvania Department of Highways, Harrisburg, Pa., or at the Office of the Pennsylvania Company Bank Building, 7 East Lancaster Avenue, Ardmore, Wabash Building, Liberty Avenue and Ferry Street, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

RAY F. SMOCK, Secretary of Highways.

NOTICE

Estate of Harry C. Shadle, deceased, late of the Borough of Littleton, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration upon the estate of the above decedent have been granted unto the undersigned by the Register of Adams County, Pennsylvania; all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent are requested to submit the same and all persons indebted to said decedent are requested and required to make payment without delay unto the undersigned.

WILLIAM F. SHADLE, Administrator of the Will of Harry C. Shadle, deceased. Whose address is: R. D. 1, Littleton, Penna.

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TRACES HISTORY

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Gettysburg. This was done to conserve the joints, muscles and feet of their horses and tires of their buggies and wagons.

"The Five Mile house and the Cross Keys Hotel are historic spots on the 'pike and Gen. John B. Gordon in June, 1863, led his Confederate forces over part of the 'pike through Abbotstown to York on his march to Wrightsville.

Terminus At Mill

The Oxford road, which runs parallel to the Lincoln highway from near East Berlin to New Oxford was laid out in 1814 when the Court of Quarter Sessions of the county in April, appointed six viewers, five of whom served, to lay out such a road. The viewers who served were Frederick Backer, Samuel Smyth, John Bleake, Sr., John Slagle and John Fox. The road started on a line between lands of Michael Bender and Andrew Fahnstock on the turnpike leading from East Berlin to Hanover and "extended to a public road leading from Little Conewago bridge to Oxford or at near the town of Oxford in Berwick (New Oxford) township."

Peter Brough's mill was the terminus for the Brough road known as the Brook road on the state highway department maps. Baker said. Laid out in 1809 the road extends nearly four miles from an intersection of the East Berlin-Abbotstown road at the northern boundary of Abbotstown to the mill, now Brown's mill. "In the 1880's large quantities of bark were transported over the road from Mansfield township to the tannery at Abbotstown. A two-span covered bridge over the Conewago at 'Peevy town' along the route was swept away in 1889 by the flood of that year," Baker recalled.

McSherry Family Next Month
The Berlin-Hanover turnpike started with the incorporation in 1810 with Samuel Fahnstock, John B. Arnold, William Patterson, Breus Fahnstock, Tobias Kepner and Frederick Baugher as commissioners. Samuel Fahnstock was named president in 1811 when the route from Abbotstown to Berlin was located. It was not until September 26, 1812, that the commissioners could agree on whether to run the highway on a straight line across Hershey's hill or circle the hill. The straight line plan was finally adopted. Contracts were let in October, 1812, to lay a 21-foot road constructed with large stones six inches deep covered with three-inch ring size stones six inches deep. Frederick Baugher was appointed as superintendent to check on the contractors until the work was completed. His compensation for such services were \$199.

In 1817 the road was completed and Thomas Abbott was appointed first toll gate keeper. In 1920 H. E. Young, Hanover, sold it for \$42,534 to the state and county. Adams county paid \$21,267 and the state paid \$21,267. The road is now part of state highway route 194. Thomas C. McSherry will speak on the McSherry family, prominent in Littleton and in the founding of McSherrytown, at the April meeting of the society, Dr. Frederick Tilberg told the group. A number of school books used in county schools between 1855 and 1873 were presented to the society by Dr. Henry Stewart. Mrs. Anna Plank presented a Brough family history to the society.

About 30 attended the meeting held in the club rooms in the court house. President W. W. Eisenhart presided.

"We are lost!" said Michel coolly. "Very well! If we die," answered Barbicane, with a sort of religious enthusiasm, "the result of our travels will be magnificently spread. It is His own secret that God will tell us! In the other life the soul will want to know nothing, either of machines or engines! It will be identified with eternal wisdom!"

"In fact," interrupted Michel Ardan, "the whole of the other world may well console us for the loss of that inferior orb called the moon!"

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EARTH TO THE MOON

By Jules Verne

Chapter 29
"Five minutes to one," said Nicholl.

"All is ready," replied Michel Ardan, directing a lighted match to the flame of the gas.

"Wait!" said Barbicane, holding his chronometer in his hand.

At that moment weight had no effect. The travelers felt in themselves the entire disappearance of it. They were very near the neutral point, if they did not touch it.

"One o'clock," said Barbicane. Michel Ardan applied the lighted match to a train in communication with the rockets. No detonation was heard in the inside, for there was no air. But, through the scuttles, Barbicane saw a prolonged smoke, the flames of which were immediately extinguished.

The projectile sustained a certain shock, which was sensibly felt in the interior.

The three friends looked and listened without speaking, and scarcely breathing. One might have heard the beating of their hearts amid this perfect silence.

"Are we falling?" asked Michel Ardan, at length.

"No," said Nicholl, "since the bottom of the projectile is not turning to the lunar disc!"

At this moment, Barbicane, quitting the scuttle, turned to his two companions. He was frightfully pale, his forehead wrinkled, and his lips contracted.

"We are falling!" said he. "Ah!" cried Michel Ardan, "on to the moon."

"On to the earth!"

MAJESTIC Starts TODAY

BLUE SKIES In Technicolor
BING CROSBY
Fred Astaire - Jean Caulfield
Billy B. Wolfe - 32 Big Hit Songs

STRAND LAST DAY!
"VACATION IN RENO"
"BLONDE FOR A DAY"
"AMBUSH TRAIL"

TOMORROW

RADIO PROGRAMS

WEDNESDAY
6:00-WNBC-454M
4:00-Stage Wife
4:15-Studio Dallas
4:30-Lorenzo Jones
4:45-Wilder Brown
5:00-Girl Marries
5:15-Portia
5:30-Plain Bill
5:45-Front Page
6:00-News
6:15-Serenade
6:45-News
7:00-Supper Club
7:15-M. Beatty
7:30-Harry Wood
7:45-News
8:00-Dennis Day
8:15-Edwards
8:30-Duffy's
9:30-Mr. D. A.
10:00-Frank Morgan
10:30-Key Kyser
11:00-News
11:15-R. Harkness
11:30-Dance orch.

7:00-WOR-422M
4:00-Dr. Tobey
4:30-Adventure
4:45-Buck Rogers
5:00-H. Harrigan
5:15-Superman
5:30-C. Midnight
5:45-Tom Mix
6:00-News
6:15-B. Elson
6:30-News
6:45-Sports
7:00-News
7:15-Answer Man
7:30-Strange
7:45-Sports
8:00-Top This
8:15-Grand Up to youth
8:30-News
9:15-Real Life
9:30-Movies
10:00-Drama
10:30-Symphonette
11:00-News
11:30-Dance music

7:00-WJZ-655M
4:00-Bartlett Show
4:30-C. Edwards
4:45-D. Tracy
5:00-Terry
5:15-Jack King
5:30-J. Armstrong
5:45-Jed
6:00-News
6:15-Duo
6:30-A. Prescott
6:45-Fitzgeralds
7:00-Headlines
7:15-News
7:30-Lone Ranger
8:00-Lum. Ab.
8:15-Farrell Show
8:30-Comedy
9:00-P. Whiteman
9:30-Pot O' Gold
10:00-Ring Crosby
10:30-Morgan Show
10:45-Green Orch.
11:00-News
11:15-Sports
11:30-Dance orch.

8:00-WABC-675M
4:00-House Party
4:30-Jackpot
5:00-Science
5:30-Bandstand
6:00-News
6:15-Country
6:30-Sports
6:45-News
7:00-Mystery
7:15-Smith Show
7:30-Elly Queen
8:00-Jack Carson
8:30-J. Herschelt
9:00-Songs
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Your Income Tax Return

FILING THE 1946 LONG-FORM

(Editor's note: This is the ninth of 12 stories explaining who must do what about filing his income tax return.)

By JAMES MARLOW
Washington, March 5 (P)—Filing your income tax on the 1946 long-form is a little different from last year.

Last year you had to figure separately your normal tax and your surtax and then add them to get the total tax due.

This year, for purposes of figuring tax, the normal tax and the surtax have been combined into one.

What you can do now can be told simply in four main steps:

1. From your total income, you deduct your expenses.

2. From what's left, you deduct your exemptions.

3. To what's left, you apply the combined normal tax and surtax.

4. Then you deduct 5 per cent from the amount of tax. What's left is the full tax you owe.

About Deductions
If your income was \$5,000 or more, you can take the \$500 standard deduction allowed everyone for personal expenses. You don't itemize.

If your deductions were more than \$500, you can claim them but must itemize them on page 3 of the long-form.

People—with less than \$5,000 income—who use the 1946 long-form must itemize their deductions on page 3. They can't take the standard \$500 deduction.

Here's how to fill out the long-form, using an average person. Before you start, have beside you the government's instruction sheet which goes with the long-form.

Cite An Example
You, married, had two children.

Your only 1946 income was \$8,000 salary. Turn to page 3 of the long-form where it says "tax computation."

Line 1—write your income, \$8,000.
Line 2—write your standard deduction, \$500. Subtract the \$500 from the \$8,000 and write the result, \$7,500 on line 3.

Line 4—write \$2,000, your total exemptions, since they were \$500 each for yourself, wife, and two children. Subtract that from the \$7,500 on line 3 and write the result, \$5,500, on line 5.

(That \$5,500 is your taxable income. It's the income you have left after subtracting your deductions and exemptions from your total \$8,000 income.)

Another Step
Right across from that bracket you see that the tax on the first \$4,000 of your taxable \$5,500 is \$840, plus 26 per cent of the remaining \$1,500, or \$390.

Adding the \$390 to the \$840, you write the total tax, \$1,230, on line 6, page 4 of the long-form. But that isn't the tax you have to pay. There's another step.

You take 5 per cent of that \$1,230—it's \$61.50—and write the \$61.50 on line 7. Subtract the \$61.50 from the \$1,230 on line 6 and write the result, \$1,168.50 on line 8.

That \$1,168.50 is your total tax, the tax you must pay. But there are a few more steps.

During 1946 you had had some raises which brought your total salary to \$8,000. Those raises upset the total tax you had figured—at the beginning of 1946—you'd owe for the whole year.

Your boss in 1946 had withheld \$900 in taxes from your salary.

And in 1946 you had paid in quarterly installments \$100 on the full tax you estimated, back at the beginning of 1946, you'd owe for the year.

Computing Tax
So in 1946 you had paid the government \$1,000 in taxes—\$900 withheld and \$100 in estimated payments—but now you find your full tax, because of the raises, is \$1,168.50.

So turn to page 1 of the long-form and on line 7 you enter your total tax, \$1,168.50. Under that, on the proper lines, you write the \$900 tax withheld from you and the \$100 estimated tax you paid.

Subtracting that \$1,000 tax already paid from the full tax, \$1,168.50, you write \$168.50, the tax still owed, on line 9.

You must pay that \$168.50 in full when you file your return, in person or by mail.

You're through except for answering the rest of the very simple questions on page 1. Keep a duplicate copy of the return, in case you have to refer to it some time.

(Thursday: Questions about husband and wife filing.)

and Bernard Dillman; advertising, P. Emory Weaver; solicitors committee, Henry Storm and William Wherley; Books and prizes, Monroe Morelock, Christian Mohr, and John Sentz; Country store, Charles Snyder and Harold Sparver; Parade, Harry Badders and Kenneth Olin; Parade prize committee, General Committee; Parade marshal, Howard T. Wherley, chief.

Food committee, W. E. Stites and Edgar DeGroot; Refreshment committee, Raymond Crebbs and Raymond Spangler; Bingo, Edward G. Loeffel; Penny game, Robert Myers; Business exhibits, Roscoe Rittase; Cane game, Richard Adams; Finance committee, E. J. Altoff, Wilbur A. Bankert, and Monroe J. Staveley.

The chairman will select the personnel of their own committees.

REMARIED BUT MUST SUPPORT HIS FIRST WIFE

Notwithstanding a Florida divorce and subsequent remarriage, Thomas M. Haugh, Abbottstown, will have to pay \$10 a week for support of his original wife, Selega M. Haugh, according to an opinion and decree handed down by Judge Walter I. Anderson in York, Monday. Later counsel for the first spouse, Attorney W. Burg Anstine, asked the court to compel Haugh to furnish bond in the sum of \$1,000 to guarantee the payments ordered in the event he should leave the jurisdiction of the court. When it was indicated that there might be an appeal from the court's decree, Judge Anderson directed that Haugh furnish \$1,000 bond for his appearance in court on April 7. He was released in custody of his counsel, Attorneys Ralph F. Fisher and Palmer C. Bortner, to arrange for such a bond.

The court concluded from the testimony in the non-maintenance proceedings that he went to Florida solely for the purpose of obtaining a divorce, that he did not have a bona fide domicile in Florida and that he did not intend to give up his home in Pennsylvania to which he returned after securing the Florida decree.

In May of 1945, Haugh instituted divorce proceedings in the York common pleas court against his original wife alleging as a reason indignities and cruel and barbarous treatment. That proceeding is still pending. According to the wife's testimony she consulted counsel with a view to contesting the divorce and when Haugh's attorney was so informed he said he would drop the suit. About March 18, 1946, Haugh told his wife that if she would not agree to a divorce he would go to Florida and get one.

He went to the southern state in April of that year and got employment there. On July 9, just over the so-called 90 days' residence requirement for that state, he filed his application for divorce, which was granted on September 9, 1946, on the ground of desertion.

In October of 1946 in Florida he married a girl from Abbottstown and the two returned to this state in November of that year to reside in Abbottstown. He got employment as a welder in West York. At the hearing he said he returned to Pennsylvania because he could not find a place to live in Florida.

The non-support proceedings were instituted by the first wife before Haugh left for Florida and when he returned he was called upon to face the charge.

STAUB CLAIMS
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say that the plane could land and suggested that the pilot be instructed to look the field over before landing, that he was to be informed it was a private airport, but that he could land if he wished.

Saw Pilot Land
"I was at the airport when the plane arrived. When the motor stopped I loaded my 1,800 chicks from the plane to my car and drove away. After the crash of the plane the pilot told me that he was airborne about 10 to 15 feet and that his motor died and he crashed and the plane turned over."

"About 8:30 o'clock Monday night the hatchery phoned me and told me of the crash. I was asked to find a place to deliver the chicks or to take them to my home that night and express them to Winchester, Va., on Tuesday. I phoned the pilot and he in turn told me that I could get the chicks from the hangar that night, that he had permission from Mr. Bircher to pick up the chicks. About 10 o'clock that night I was on my way to the airport and saw the blaze before we reached there. Norman R. Beamer, of Biglerville R. 7, was with me at the time. We stopped our car at the stables and ran to the hangar, thinking that perhaps we might be able to rescue the chicks. The firemen arrived about five or eight minutes after we did."

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LEGIONNAIRES

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COMMANDER GRIFFITH

Lewis B. Hershey, director of Selective Service and was a member of the board which set up the essential activities and critical occupations for the Selective Service system.

Later he was chief of the Veterans' Personnel Division of the Selective Service system with the job of seeing that service men and women were reinstated in their old jobs upon returning to the U. S. and being discharged from the service.

In World War I he served as a non-commissioned officer in Company D, 110th Infantry regiment, 28th Division, and took part in the Aisne-Marne, Oise-Aisne, Champagne-Marne and Meuse-Argonne offensives. In the Toul sector he was badly wounded. He received the Silver Star, Purple Heart, Legion of Honor and Croix de Guerre during World War I.

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LEAGUE WOMEN

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Barley and Mrs. C. H. Heidt the name of Mrs. Frederick Ahrens.

The meeting was opened with a devotional period conducted by Mrs. Dwight F. Putman. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. J. C. Donley, and Miss Anna Cairns gave her report as treasurer.

The program included a vocal solo by Richard Ehrhart accompanied at the piano by Ross Forney; a review of the current Broadway play "Joan of Lorraine" by Dr. Richard A. Arms, and a vocal solo by Miss Mary Louise Spangler with Miss Mary Mc-

Carney playing the accompaniment.

A color scheme of green and white was carried out in decorating the room for the meeting. A variety of greens, and tall green candles were used. The tea table at which Mrs. Henry W. A. Hanson and Mrs. James P. Cairns presided, was attractive with its gleaming silver, lighted candles and a number of tiny white statues effectively placed.

The hostess committee included Mrs. Thomas L. Cline, Mrs. John Brehm, Mrs. James P. Cairns, Mrs. Russell A. Campbell, Mrs. Ralph D. Helm, Mrs. Harvey D. Hoover, Mrs. J. Allen Holtzworth, Mrs. Clyde Lohr, Mrs. Donald P. McPherson, Jr., Mrs. C. Allen Sloat and Mrs. Charles R. Wolfe.

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THE GETTYSBURG TIMES, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1947

Pennsylvania Gets Break In Long Siege Of Severe Winter Weather Today

LIGHT SNOW IS FORECAST; DAYS TO BE WARMER

(By The Associated Press)

Diminishing winds and a slight rise in temperature today gave Pennsylvania a break in a long siege of severe winter weather.

Light snow was forecast for Western Pennsylvania both today and tomorrow, however, and Eastern Pennsylvania may see a little more snow tomorrow.

Although temperatures of 30 to 34 were predicted for the next few days, as compared with an average of 22 in recent weeks, gas companies serving Western Pennsylvania industries said they could not say when normal fuel supplies would be restored. Approximately 50,000 workers remained idle in the Pittsburgh district as a result of the gas curtailment.

Days of Digging Ahead
Northwestern and south central Pennsylvania counties faced days of work to dig themselves out of one of the worst snowstorms of the winter.

With 60-mile-an-hour gales piling up new snow drifts ranging up to 20 feet, Erie and Warren counties reported a milk shortage was threatened unless highways could be opened. Only two roads were open in Erie county and only a few in Warren county. Conditions were not much better in other northwest counties.

Five farm tractors bored through 15-foot drifts for almost four hours to rescue Mrs. Ida Losey, a 26-year-old expectant mother, from her snowbound home at Fairview. The tractors took her to the highway along which an auto sped her to Erie hospital. Her child was born an hour after she arrived there.

Get Child To Hospital

Gas supplies of the Pennsylvania Gas Co. were reduced 50 per cent when an air receiver tank exploded in a brick compressor plant at Erie, rocking houses within a mile radius. Broken fuel lines ignited, shooting flames through the building for more than an hour. Loss was estimated at \$1,000. Full gas service was expected to be restored today.

Three-year-old Carol Evans, stricken with pneumonia, was taken to St. Vincent's hospital at Erie by state troopers who battled snow six hours to reach her farm home on Tuck road.

Many schools were closed in rural areas of Venango and Crawford counties and most secondary roads were blocked.

10 Communities Isolated
At least 10 communities were re-

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FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 1947
At 12:30 P. M.

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Two fat hogs.

Farm Machinery
Two Massey-Harris side-delivery rakes, one brand new; John Deere nine-hole disc grain drill; 2 McCormick mowers; weed-hog harrow; lever harrow; one-horse plow; two-horse plow; cultivator; 2 sulky plows; two-horse wagon; one-horse spring wagon; sleigh.

Orchard Equipment
1935 Reo 1½-ton truck; Friend sprayer, 400-gal. tank, 25-gal./min. pump; 90 ft. hose and spray gun; 8-rump potato boom with attachments. Ladders, 25-ft., 22-ft., 15-ft.; cherry stepladders; lot of apple-crates; 185 cherry-picking boxes; picking bags; cherry-picking buckets; pruning tools.

Miscellaneous Equipment
Electric fence, complete with control; platform scale; steel wheelbarrow with rubber tire; lot of 4-inch tile; corn-sheller; dinner bell; singletrees; doubletrees; scythe; harness; stove-length wood; movable hog house, 8x12 feet on skids.

Household Goods
Five-piece upholstered maple sun-room suite; library table; 3 rockers, one large ladderback; oak armchair; 5 straight chairs; leather settee; 60-inch roll-top desk; beds, 2 double, 1 single, with springs and mattresses; spool bed; bureau and mirror; modern chiffonier; stands; wardrobe; quilts; comforters; dishes.

DeLaval cream separator (hand); milk buckets; strainer; 2-gal. electric churn; large copper kettle; iron kettle; fireplace screen; Bissell sweeper; quilt frame; 2 fruit dryers. And many other articles.

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HOSPITAL NEARLY READY

Philadelphia, March 5 (AP)—Operation of the Veterans' hospital at Lebanon, Pa., is tentatively scheduled to begin in August, says Dr. Henry R. Carstens, director of the medical service office of the Veterans' Administration here. Dr. Carstens said that while the main building construction should be completed in May, quarters for hospital officials and nurses will not be ready until August, at least.

ported virtually isolated because of snow-drifted highways—Porter, Knoxdale, Richardsville and Munderiff in Jefferson county; Somerset, Shanksville, Meyersdale and Berlin in Somerset county, and Patton and Carrolltown in Cambria county.

Ten-foot drifts disrupted bus and train service in McKean county. At Sigel, Jefferson county, 12-year-old William Resinger was killed when he ran across a snow-packed highway in front of a car.

At Pittsburgh, Fire Captain Bernard J. Hawthorne was in a critical condition from a broken back suffered while fighting a fire. The ladder on which he was standing slipped on ice and dropped him 15 feet to the pavement.



Phillip E. Smalley, 31 (above), of Knoxville, Tenn., was booked at Los Angeles on suspicion of murder charges in the mutilation slaying of Elizabeth Short, 22, of Medford, Mass.

HOLD YOUTH IN GIRL'S SLAYING

Malden, Mass., March 5 (AP)—Seventeen-year-old Robert L. Coombes, with a record of previous sex offenses, was held without bail Tuesday after he pleaded innocent to the slaying of 11-year-old Jacqueline Maxwell.

Coombes appeared unmoved throughout the proceedings, which were witnessed by his mother and by numerous relatives of the little victim. Coombes' distracted parents said today they had opposed his recent release from a reform school.

"Institutions shouldn't release boys like this," said the boy's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Coombes, who turned him over to police when she became suspicious after learning of the slaying Sunday night.

She told newsmen and police her son's clothes were covered with mud and that he refused to explain where he had been.

"It wasn't because I don't love my son that we turned him in," said Francis Coombes, the suspect's father. "I do love him. I only did what we thought was best. It was for

Aroused Residents Aid Police Force

Norristown, Pa., March 5 (AP)—Aroused Norristown residents bolstered the town's 32-man police force today in an all-out hunt for a "tall, slim young man"—sometimes clad only in long underwear or pajamas—who has terrorized young girls and women for the past six weeks.

Police Chief Robert Reilly, insisting his force is undermanned, declared a state of emergency following the brutal beating of a 24-year-old woman Saturday night. Police were placed on 24-hour call.

The civilian posse, armed with clubs and other weapons, combed the secluded areas of the town in search of the attacker.

his own safety. If I were a parent of that girl I'd want to kill him. We did a lot of thinking."

Meanwhile, concern was expressed about the disappearance of Corrine Ann Catlin, 17-year-old Malden high school senior and Sunday school teacher. She dropped from sight while returning from church Sunday night—about the time the Maxwell girl was slain.

RAIL MIXUP

Lancaster, N. Y., March 5 (AP)—Main line passenger tracks of the Delaware Lackawanna and Western railroad were blocked Tuesday when a snowplow, locomotive and caboose overturned injuring three workmen. The railroad's chief dispatcher at Buffalo reported that it probably would be several hours before the track could be cleared. He said the plow caught a drift too big for it to handle.

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Erie, Pa., March 5 (AP)—Burns suffered when her clothing caught fire from a kitchen stove caused the death of Mrs. Anna Shenk, 65, yesterday in St. Vincent's hospital. A son found her unconscious on the

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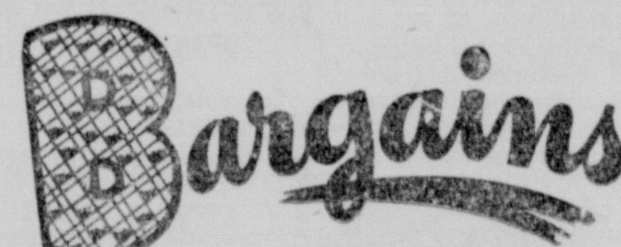
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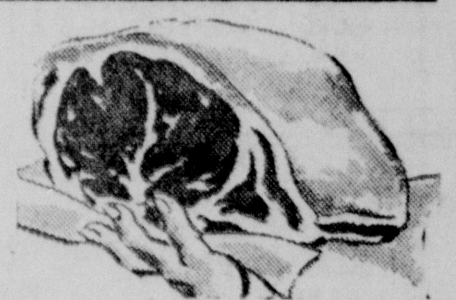
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RAMMED EARTH USED IN WALLS OF NEW HOUSE

The use of one of man's oldest building materials—the earth itself—to build a handsome modern home is shown in the current issue of "The Architectural Forum," magazine of building.

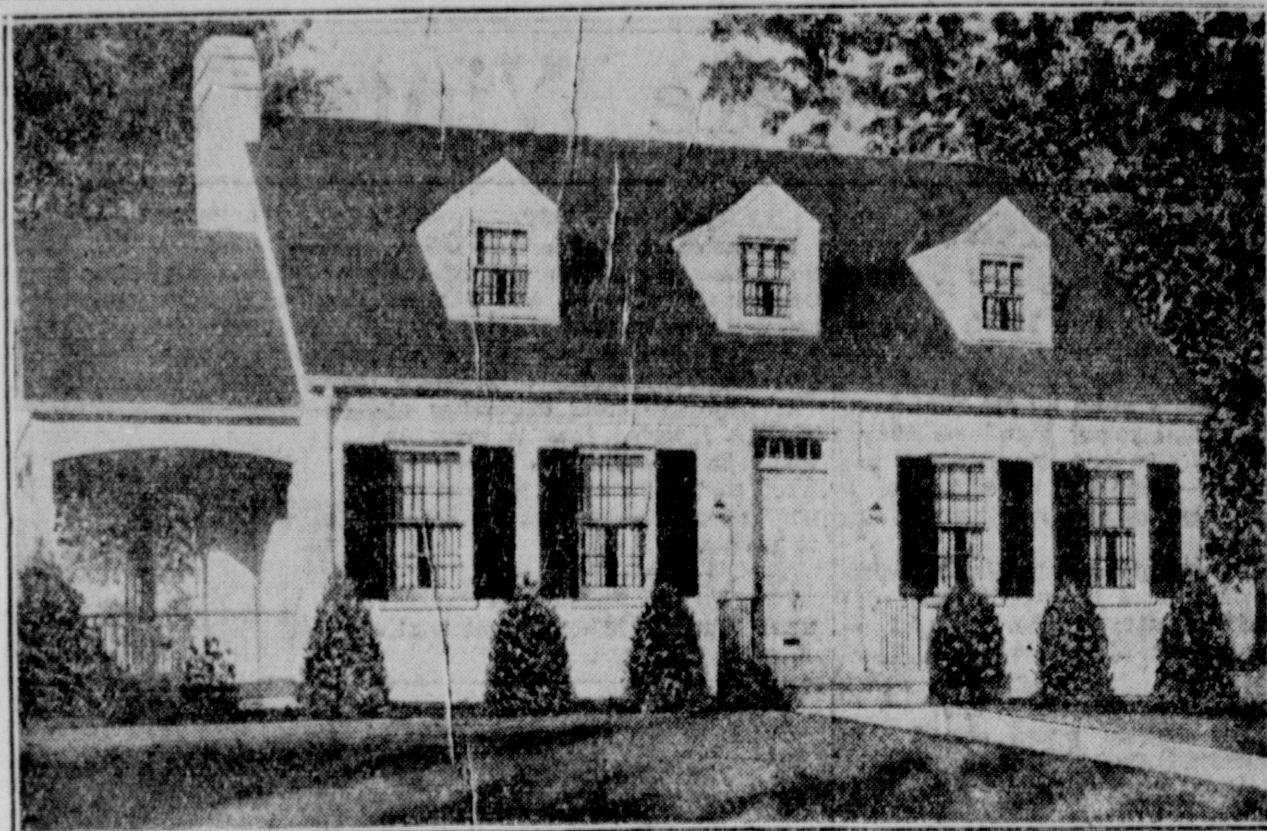
Confronted by the current shortages of conventional materials, a Denver engineer used rammed earth to construct a home ideally suited for Colorado's variable climate. Rammed earth's low heat conductivity makes it good for both hot and cold climates. And on well managed jobs, construction costs may run as much as 20 per cent lower than conventional methods.

Must Be Right Soil

However, according to the editors, the limitations of rammed earth construction are severe. First of all, it is necessary to use suitable soil, preferably 70 per cent sand and small gravel to 30 per cent clay, and it must be carefully sifted, mixed, dampened, tamped and cured. Earth walls must rest on concrete footings well above finished grade and must always be protected by a projecting roof or coping. Such limitations as these automatically hold rammed earth to buildings which are simple in both plan and elevation. It is seldom economic to build earth walls more than a story high.

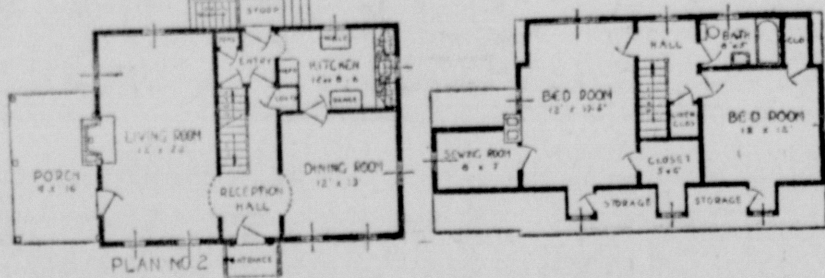
Like concrete, the strength of rammed earth increases with age. In building the Denver house, topsoil was removed by a bulldozer and the lower layers of earth were piled for convenient sifting and mixing. Packing the earth in forms similar to those used in cement construction, the builders carefully controlled the moisture content of their earth-mix, tamped it in place with air hammers. The forms can be removed immediately, although the walls must cure before the roof is placed. This takes about 10 days but the structure continues to increase in strength for several years.

Using a mixture of daga plaster (a mud mix of three parts sand to one of clay) and lead oil paint, the earth house was given a handsome waterproof finish. There are no standard interior walls for partitions are formed by built-in storage units. The house has radiant heating from generous glass areas on the south side to its comfort and appearance.



The Williamsburg

Is a beautiful home of Colonial architecture embodying all the comforts customarily found in a larger dwelling. Its spacious rooms and ample appointments tend to make this as attractive as a more expensive home. Floor plans are available upon request to the Building Editor of The Gettysburg Times (Copyright by Standard Home Company), Washington (5) D. C.



LAVATORY FOR BEDROOM URGED

One of the most practical ways of providing additional washing facilities in many of the older homes is by the installation of a lavatory or washbasin in one or more of the bedrooms, says the Plumbing and Heating Industries Bureau.

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In one home which was recently modernized lavatories were installed in the corners of two adjoining bedrooms, a small bathroom was placed between the two bedrooms. There are two fixtures in the bathroom—a shower cabinet and a water closet.

Floor Over Furnace Needs Insulation

Wood floors in rooms directly over heating plants may develop cracks as a result of excessive heat, unless they are insulated.

Flooring specialists advise protecting such floors by placing insulating paper between the joists of the basement ceiling in the affected area. Standard insulating board about one-half inch thick, 30 pounds asphalt felt or 30 pounds asbestos felt is satisfactory.

The job is not difficult and may be done in an old as well as a new building. Simple precautions such as this in caring for good flooring of oak or other hardwood are more than repaid in the long years of service they render.

Urge Vets To Use FHA For Building

Veterans' counselors and FHA officials believe the best interests of the veteran are served when he uses facilities of the Federal Housing Administration in buying or building a home. He should, they say, preserve his available credit under the GI Bill for other purposes or later emergencies.

In a majority of cases the veterans, with only a small amount of cash, may obtain sufficient credit under the FHA system to complete his home purchase; if he wishes, he can supplement the mortgage with a small loan.

EXPERIMENT ON BASEBOARD HEAT

The first installation of radiant baseboards in a pre-fabricated, basementless house ever made in the United States will be completed this winter at the University of Illinois.

A study of the performance of radiant baseboards in the house will be made by the Institute of Boiler and Radiator Manufacturers as part of the long-range research program which has been under way since 1940. This program provides for the study of all types of hot water and steam heating systems under varying operating conditions to enable the heating industry to offer the utmost in heating comfort with fuel economy.

The house in which radiant baseboards will be installed is one of 50 basementless, pre-fabricated houses being erected by the University of Illinois to provide emergency housing for veterans and their families.

In all houses, the floor consists of a concrete slab laid over a gravel fill covered by a waterproof membrane. The finish floor will be asbestos tile. In the test house, a gas-fired hot water heating system will be installed. There will be two heating circuits. One circuit will contain the radiant baseboards in the living room and kitchen. The other will contain the radiant baseboards in the bath and two bedrooms.

Important factors such as fuel consumption and indoor air temperatures in various rooms will be checked daily by members of the research staff of the University of Illinois. Accurate daily records will also be made of the operating time of the burner and circulator, flue gas temperature, and the temperature of the water in the supply and return circuits.

credit under the FHA system to complete his home purchase; if he wishes, he can supplement the mortgage with a small loan.

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half million oil heating installations in the United States, says the Plumbing and Heating Industries Bureau.

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A boiler-burner unit is a complete heating plant with oil burner and boiler designed to work together as a team, thus providing the utmost in

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Holes left in finished hardwood floors by the removal of partitions or built-in furniture should be carefully patched so that the beauty of the floor is not impaired, home maintenance authorities advise. With proper care, new flooring can be laid so there is no trace of the alteration.

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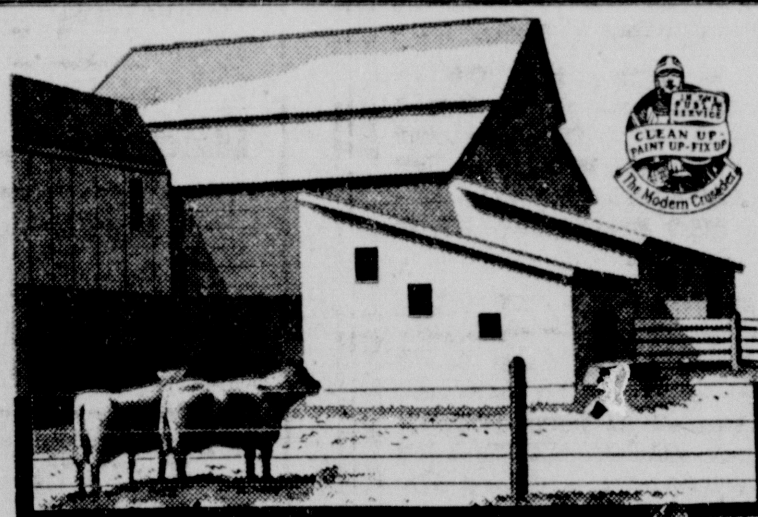
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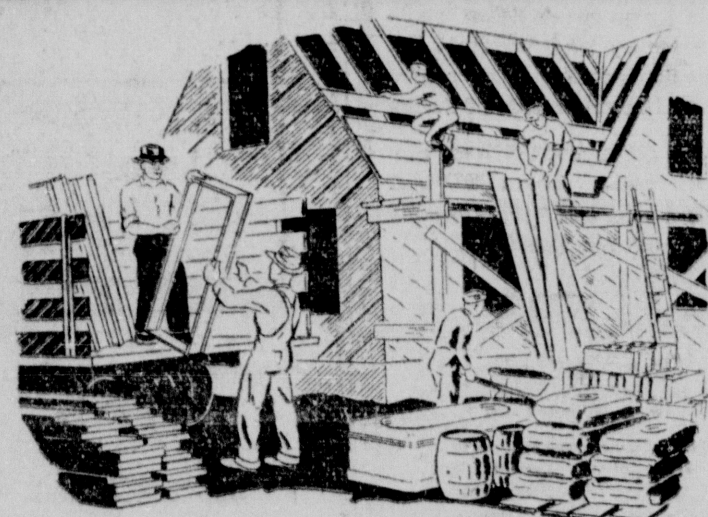
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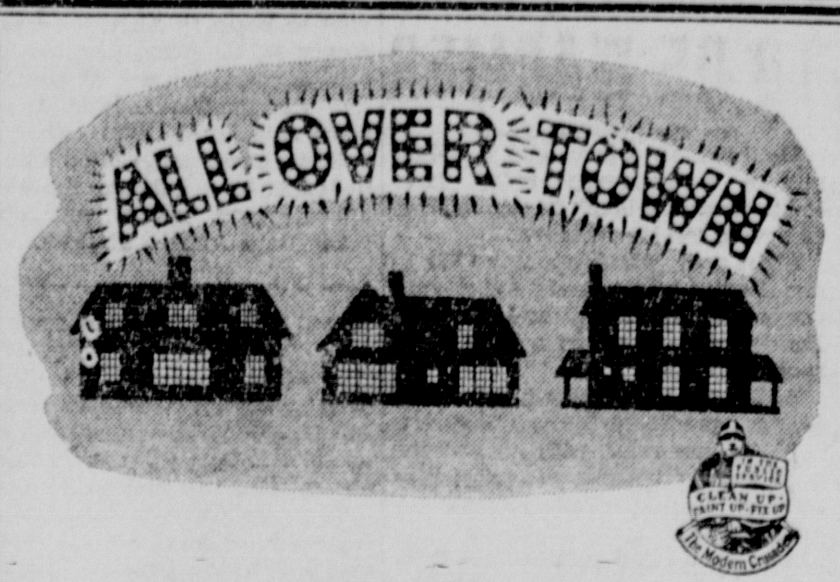
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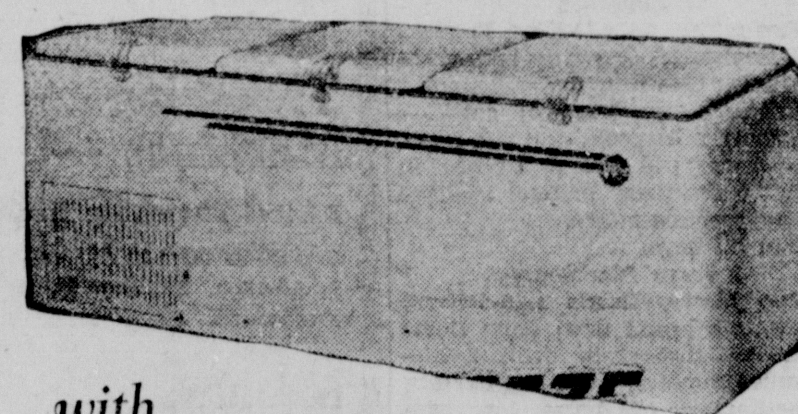
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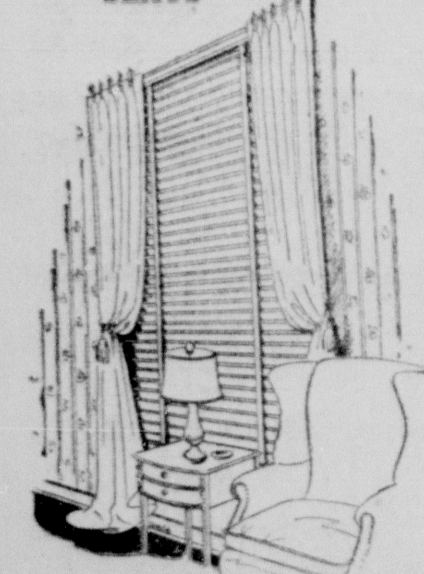
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Contrary to general belief, it is almost impossible to burn down a wood or frame house which has been built properly and which is occupied.

According to best authorities, almost 30 per cent of all fires in this country are definitely preventable, 25 per cent were partly preventable, and more than 40 per cent probably largely preventable. In short, only a fraction of the \$562,000,000 which we spend a year on fire losses can be traced to purely unavoidable causes.

Extra Cost Small
To begin with, it costs about \$20 extra to install fire and draft stops in a wood house when it is under construction. Without these small items, fire can rage unchecked through the walls, floors and ceilings of a wood house. With them, fire is confined to a small space and usually gives ample warning through both smoke and odor.

Naturally it is difficult to install fire and draft stops after a house has been built, but an excellent substitute is found in the use of fill insulation, which can be blown into the wall and floor spaces and which definitely checks the spread of fire. Most people think of insulation in terms of fuel savings but as a mat-

Tips For Amateur Painters Are Given

There are several tips for amateur painters to use if they expect to achieve good results in the finished job, reports Practical Builder, Chicago.

A good quality paint is very thoroughly mixed before use. If it needs thinning, thin sparingly with turpentine. The surface to be painted should be clean and dry—free of oil, dust particles, dirt, etc. Before applying paint, pour off most of the liquid into another container, then stir thoroughly whatever solidified pigment may remain in the original can. Then pour back the liquid and stir thoroughly, and then "box" the paint by pouring it several times from one container to another. Remember while painting pause from time to time to stir against lumps, and in this way you will have a smooth uniform coating. Be sure to follow the directions of the manufacturer. He has prepared his product and is more equipped than anyone else to give advice on its use.

Use a good quality brush, of sensible size—don't try to get into tight corners with a big brush or a well with a little one. If brush is new it should be given a 24 hour soaking in linseed oil before putting in paint.

Allow plenty of time between coats—enough so that paint has dried hard and firm. For best results interior painting should be done when air is warm and dry, and with plenty of air circulating.

Pittsburgh, March 5 (AP)—Allegheny county officers announced the arrest of an eighth man in connection with the "night club gang" robberies of loan and telegraph offices here and at Tarentum in the last two months. Chief of County Detectives Joseph M. Stack said he believed the new arrest completed the roundup of the gang, which he said included three women. He said indictments against all eight members likely will be sought before the grand jury this month.

Hollidaysburg, Pa., March 5 (AP)—Having pleaded guilty to eight indictments charging burglary, assault and criminal attack, Bowman Francis Kennedy, Jr., 24, yesterday was sentenced to 15 to 30 years in western penitentiary. Five of the charges involved holdups of motorists.

ter of fact it offers tremendous safety for the family as well.
Safeguards Listed
Any one who lives in a frame or wood house, should make sure that the open spaces of walls and floors are either fitted with fire-stops or fully insulated, they should make sure that heating and electrical equipment is in proper order; they should make sure that either fire-extinguishers or other means of combating fire are on hand.

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NEED 1,500,000 HOMES TO BEAT 1947 SHORTAGE

Only 15,000,000 dwelling units are needed to take the edge off the housing shortage, results of the 46th semi-annual survey of the real estate market by the National Association of Real Estate Boards show. The survey brought returns from real estate boards in 475 cities in 45 states.

The survey thus gave added importance to the prediction of both industry and government spokesmen that a million units can be constructed this year.

The study revealed, moreover, that only 1,600,000 to 1,820,000 units could be absorbed, of offered, during 1947 in the entire urban United States, indicating the small margin between barely enough and saturation of the housing market.

Rental Units Needed
An unprecedented call for rental housing was shown by the replies. The need for the year is about a 50-50 division between single family dwellings and apartment units, in sharp contrast with pre-war. For example, the ratio of single-family dwellings to multiple family units actually constructed in 1940 was roughly 5 to 1. In 1920 it was more than 9 to 1. In 1925 it had dropped to 2½ to 1. In 1930 it was about 3 to 1, and in 1933 about 6 to 1.

While the greatest volume of new residential construction is now going on in the outer rim of cities, the greatest need for such building is in the central cities themselves, replies indicated.

Shortage of single family dwellings was reported in 99 per cent of the cities, and the remaining 1 per cent, listed a normal supply. The present situation is slightly less tight than that of May, 1946, when 99.6 per cent of the cities had a dwelling shortage.

The apartment shortage, however,

has grown more general than in May, 1946, with 98 per cent recording an under-supply now, compared with 95.9 per cent. The remaining 2 per cent showed a normal balance.

List Major Reasons
Ten major reasons were listed as delaying or hampering residential construction:

1. Lack of materials has been a factor in most cities.
2. Rent control, discouraging investment building, is an influence in 92 per cent of the cities, and a major factor in 82 per cent.
3. Complexities of government regulation adversely affect building.
4. Uncertainty which builders feel as to building cost and time of completion as a result of the government red tape and the shortage of materials.
5. High cost of building materials is a widespread factor in the situation.
6. Price ceilings on new residential construction (recently removed by the government) were a deterrent in 92 per cent of the cities.
7. Scarcity of skilled workmen is of major importance.
8. Obsolete building codes, which restrict the use of modern materials and methods, were generally criti-

Says Housing Costs Have Reached Peak

Washington, (AP)—Housing Expediter Frank R. Creedon says prices on new homes and building materials have reached their peak and "are beginning to level off."

Creedon emphasized in talking with reporters, however, he means only that prices "have stopped going up." He declined to forecast when they might start downward.

The expediter added that the housing program "has crystallized" sufficiently to allow a one-third cut in the agency's 1,150 employees. Asked about pending proposals in Congress, Creedon said he did not know whether lifting of rent controls from new dwellings would stimulate rental housing construction, but added:

"Psychologically, perhaps it would have some beneficial results, but as to what extent, I don't know."

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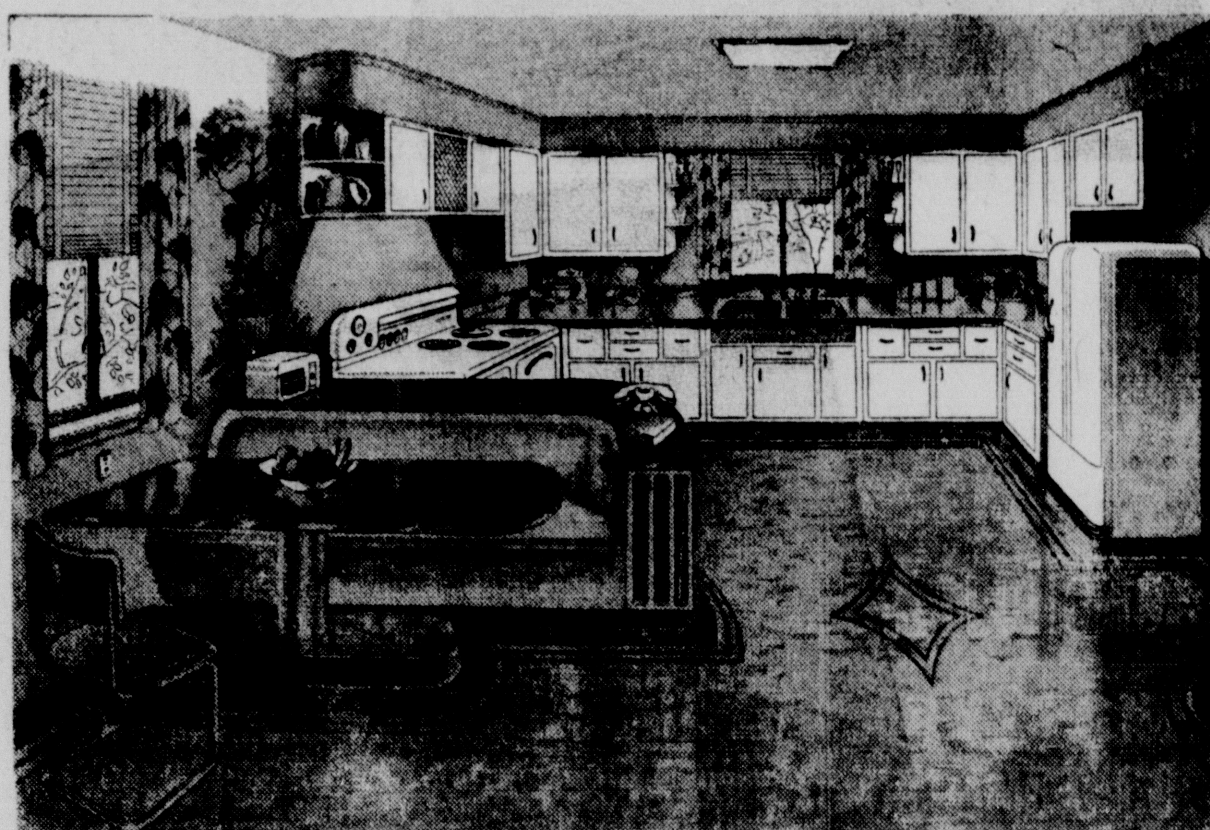
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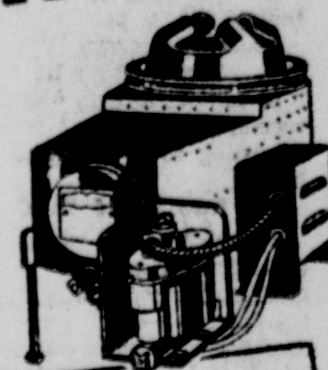
Warning Issued On Shoddy Practices

Economies in home building are best accomplished through wise planning, never through sacrifice of good materials and sound construction, Federal Housing Administration officials point out. Suggestions on the principles of planning are available to individuals, contractors, and builders at all FHA field offices. The FHA has published a pamphlet on the principles of planning small houses with suggested sketches designed to guide those who want to build with economy and still use sound methods and tested materials.

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TRUMAN VISIT TO MEXICO IS NEARING CLOSE

By ERNEST B. VACCARO
Mexico City, March 5 (P)—President Truman—playing to the hilt his role of a tireless and enthusiastic American tourist—ordered out the "Sacred Cow" for a flight over a volcano today as his three-day good will visit to Mexico drew to a close.

The president, hailed by President Miguel Aleman of Mexico last night as "the new champion" of hemispheric solidarity, also arranged for a motor trip to the pyramids of the sun and moon at San Juan Teotihuacan after inspecting Parícutin volcano from the air.

He will wind up his official visit tonight at a private dinner with Aleman. Tomorrow he will fly to Waco, Texas, where he is to deliver a 25-minute foreign economic policy speech at Baylor university before returning to Washington tomorrow night.

Two Killed In Crush

The visit of the two presidents at a colorful fiesta at the national stadium yesterday was marred when two persons—a 19-year-old woman and an eight-year-old child—were killed and four hurt in the crush of the crowd trying to catch a glimpse of Truman and Aleman.

Fifty-six children were separated from their parents as a capacity throng of 15,000 persons squeezed into the stadium for the festival.

The cheers of Mexicans followed the American president wherever he went and President Aleman declared yesterday at a luncheon that the Truman visit is going "to promote a better understanding and friendship between our two countries." Aleman is scheduled to return the visit next month.

A marimba band, rehearsed for days, played "The Missouri Waltz" for the president at a U. S. Embassy reception, where the president cordially shook hands with hundreds of guests and embraced an eight-year-old girl. He attended a reception and dance last night at the foreign office.

CITY CHARTER BILL OFFERED

Harrisburg, March 5 (P)—Enabling legislation permitting third class cities to draw up their own charters and give them broad "home rule" powers was in the hands of the general assembly today, 25 years after Commonwealth voters issued such a mandate.

The home rule provisions were elastic enough to permit all Pennsylvania cities, except Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Scranton, to levy wage and sales taxes and resort to any other means of taxation not already encompassed by state laws.

The bill, introduced in the state house of representatives yesterday by Rep. Walter E. Rose (R-Cambria), was expected, however, to meet with opposition by the league of third class cities which has opposed the city charter plan.

The city charter plan, authorizing municipalities to draft their own revenue laws and purchase and operate public utilities, was approved in 1922 by a constitutional amendment.

Cities were granted the right, subject to enabling legislation, to set up a single or bi-cameral council or turn to a city manager to handle municipal affairs.

Under Rose's enabling bill, city charters would become a reality after approval by a city-wide referendum during the municipal election year.

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Need Funds For Draft Records

Washington, March 5 (P)—While President Truman has agreed to let the draft act die at month's end, Congress may be asked to provide funds—possibly between \$6,000,000 and \$19,000,000 a year—for keeping selective service records intact.

Some administration leaders also are urging that a "standby" crew of manpower mobilization experts be set up for quick action in any possible emergency.

Government officials who reported this privately today said plans have been discussed to retain all of the 44,000,000 personal files of draft registrants under federal supervision, preferably in their present cities or in state capitals rather than in Washington.

Thus they would be quickly at hand if needed.

BARBARA TAKES FOURTH HUBBY

Chur, Switzerland, March 5 (P)—Barbara Woolworth Hutton, one of the wealthiest women in the world, was reported honeymooning in the Swiss Alps at Zurich today with her fourth husband, 34-year-old Prince Igor Troubetzkoy, a descendant of Lithuanian royalty.

The marriage registry bureau in Chur, a town of about 11,000 in the valley of the Upper Rhine in eastern Switzerland, said they were married here last Saturday. Witnesses to the ceremony were Sorne Savely, Russian-born artist, and Anna Lynne, an American, both of Paris.

The registry office said the couple arrived here by taxi from Zurich—a trip of about 150 miles—after the prince telephoned ahead and asked the registrar to keep their plans secret. The newlyweds left 500 Swiss francs (\$115) for the indigent of Chur, stopped at a Chur tearoom and then taxied back to Zurich.

The bride—heiress to the Woolworth five and ten cent store fortune estimated at upwards of \$20,000,000—listed her name in the Chur records as Barbara Grant Hutton. Her marriage to movie star Carey Grant ended in divorce in Los Angeles on August 30, 1945.

She said she was a Danish subject, born in New York on November 14, 1912. The records listed her address as Tangier, Morocco. She renounced her U. S. citizenship in 1937, while married to Count Kurt Haugwitz-Reventlow of Denmark.

The number of certified civil airmen now is more than ten times the prewar total, or about 342,000.

GIVES OFFICIAL EXPLANATION OF GAS SHORTAGE

Washington, March 5 (P)—It's a 26-inch answer to the \$64 question of why there's a gas shortage in Pennsylvania.

Rep. Van Zandt (R-Pa.) dug into the problem and Tuesday made available to a reporter this explanation which he received from the Federal Power Commission:

1. The shortage extends from Colorado to the eastern seaboard.
2. Gas produced locally in the east can't begin to meet increased demands.

Pipe Shortage

3. A shortage of pipe—especially the 26-inch variety—has slowed, sometimes almost to a standstill, efforts to transport additional gas from the southwest to the fuel-starved east.

Twenty-six-inch pipe, for economic and technical reasons, is desired for long-distance, high pressure gas lines.

The commission listed these causes for the gas shortage:

1. Depletion of local fields, particularly in the so-called Appalachian area of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia and Kentucky, was accelerated during the war by war industry demands.

Demand Mounted

2. The volume of gas transported into the area from the southwest for war purposes has not—despite special allocations of pipe and materials—satisfied the needs of the postwar market because industrial demands for natural gas have continued at the wartime rate.

3. There has developed a "tremendous" demand for gas for house heating.

"Reports submitted to the commission show that during the past year thousands of consumers have installed gas-fired heating equipment because of shortage of other fuels and because increased costs of other fuels, particularly coal, have made gas little, if any, more expensive for house heating than coal," said the commission.

Big Job Ahead

The commission included in its letter a resume of what gas transmission companies are planning and of the situation pertaining to companies now receiving gas through the Big and Little Inch lines.

What it added up to was this: The Inch lines and other new lines eventually will meet demands, but when they'll be operating at capacity is "conjectural."

New Oxford

New Oxford—Jimmy, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Myers, who recently recovered from a two-months' illness is again confined to his home.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith has been named David Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynne W. Grove, who spent a few weeks at Southern Pines, N. C., recently returned to town.

Miss M. Kathryn Winand was hostess at her home during the week to the local garden club. Her co-hostess was Mrs. Ivan R. Mechtly.

Recent visitors here were Mr. and Mrs. John L. Colestock of the Harrisburg area. Mr. Colestock, a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Colestock, formerly resided here.

Dr. Karl S. Hoffmeister, local dentist, has recovered from his recent illness.

ASK PAY RAISE

Connellsville, Pa., March 5 (P)—The South Connellsville school board today studied a request from 13 school teachers for a "substantial" pay raise to meet living costs. The Connellsville school board, yesterday discussed a request from 110 teachers for a \$400 a year boost, in addition to a \$200 bonus previously granted.

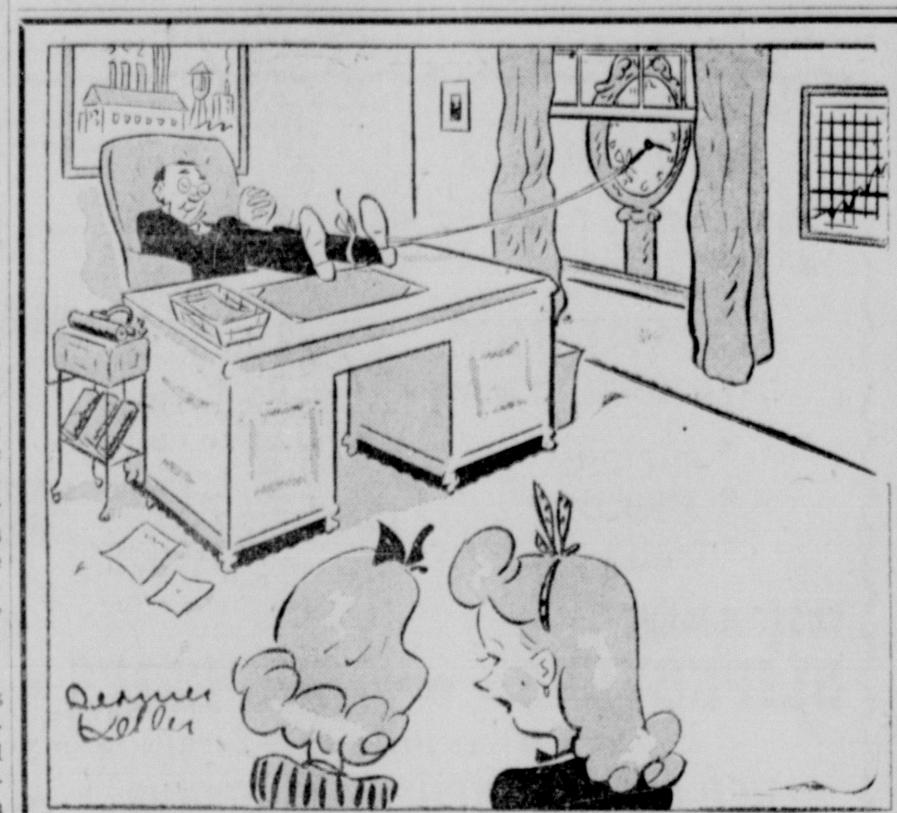
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